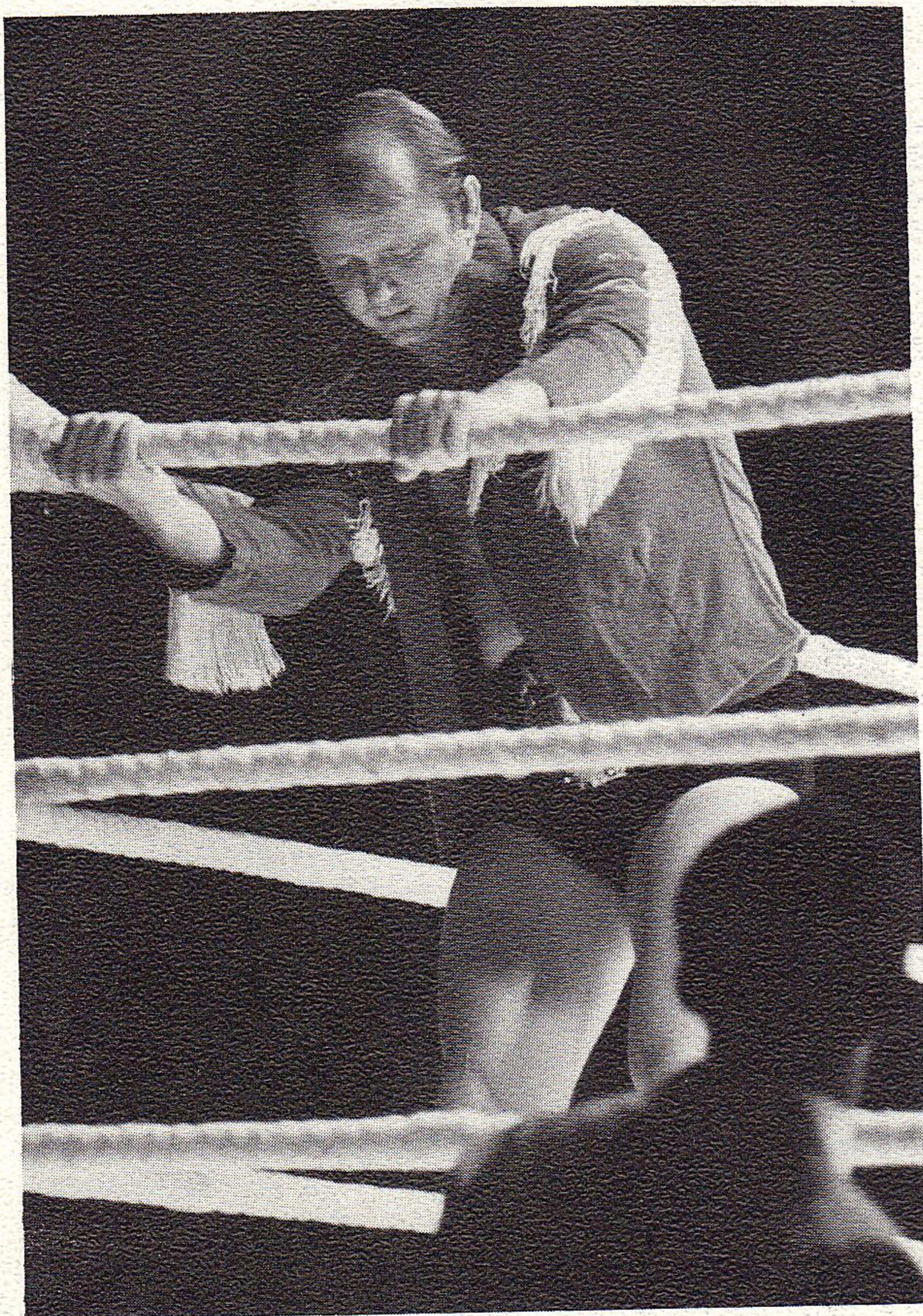




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EDITOR'S MESSAGE:

The goal of this magazine is to present wrestling fans with complete monthly pictures of what is happening on the wrestling scene by reviewing title changes, results, and other informative incidents that have occurred. It is designed to provide its readers with a handy reference that you will want to save for years to come. I think you will agree with me when I say that the quality of our paper and cover will allow you to keep these issues in good shape, as it is far superior to that used in any other wrestling magazine.

I am keeping, in general, the same format and goals that made my Wrestling Information Bulletin the best fan culb bulletin in the country. The change-over to this magazine was necessary, with a true business approach,

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to reach the number of fans that are interested in such a publication, and be able to present it in the best possible manner every month.

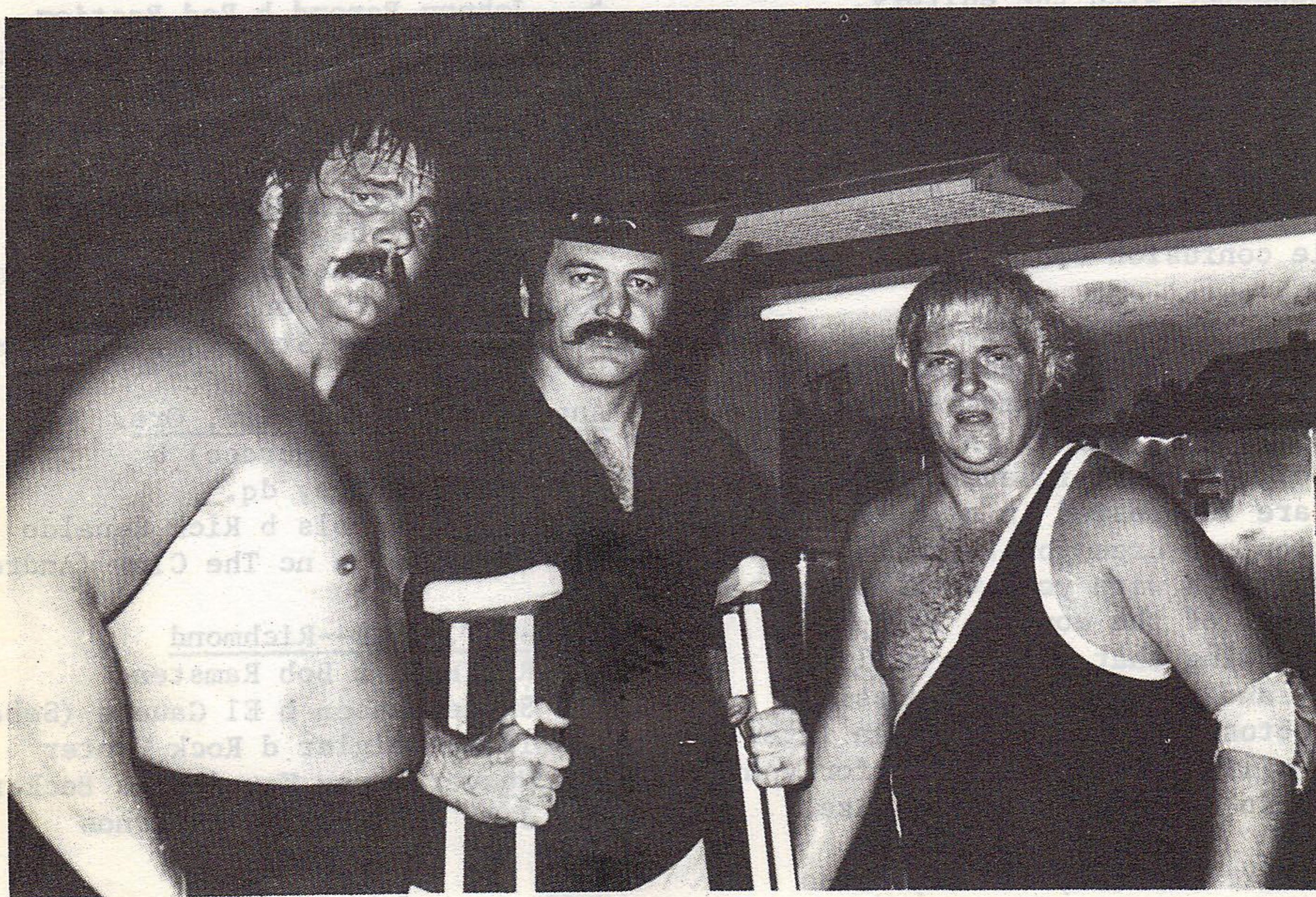
In organizing this new magazine, attempting to reach interested wrestling fans, obtaining the money needed, and all that goes with it, 1972 has seen me fall a few months behind in putting specific monthly coverage together. Therefore this first issue is covering two months, as will the next issue (Oct.-Nov.) which will be in the mail at the end of January. Issue #3 will begin what will then be the normal policy of covering just one month at a time. Plans call for issue #3 to also review and summarize the major activities of 1972.

In combining August and September coverage in this first issue, it has turned out that I sacrificed detailed results and other specific items for general results. I feel that

this was a mistake which I will not duplicate in the next issue. I am particularly disturbed that I was not left with enough space to adequately report the matches I saw in August and September or those that were reported by our fine correspondents. Next issue I will make room by discriminately leaving out some of the results.

When we begin highlighting one month per issue, space will be adequate to do both, plus present special features and enlarge other facets of the publication. I hope to shortly present ratings, interviews and personality features, and other such things that will interest the vast majority of wrestling fans.

I feel the scope of wrestling coverage in this issue is unequalled anywhere and will soon be much better. Some of the correspondents listed did not contribute to this issue but have since joined our staff. Others who have become part of IWD, but were not listed previously,



Bobby Heenan, manager of the Black Jacks, (right) was forced to team with Mulligan while Lanza was convalescing during July & August, with his leg in a cast.

Editor's Message (Cont'd)

who will add their reports in future issues, include Jeff Fowler (Akron), Jerry Shinen (Toledo), Robert Love (Memphis), Allan Howard (Toronto) and David May (Ottawa).

We are still learning, so mistakes and errors in judgment will be a part of this publication. However, intense interest in professional wrestling is obviously indicated here, as well as the fact that readers are receiving their money's worth (see how many out of town newspapers you can buy or letters you can send to pen pals in other cities for 75¢!). And despite my being dissatisfied with several aspects of this initial issue, I am proud of the amount of information offered, and the great improvement in this issue over my former effort with WIB, in attractiveness and readability. My hope is that you, the reader, find this publication to be the kind of magazine you want.

If you would like to voice your opinion or ask me a question, you are encouraged to do so and IWD will print each month the best ones and those of most general interest. All correspondence with the editory, should be mailed to my home address--517 No. Second Street, Rockford, Illinois 61107. All money and subscriptions should be sent to the mailing address--6620 Glen Devon Rd. Rockford, Ill. 61111. Delay and possible confusion could result otherwise.

IWD is now in the process of adding to our staff of photographers so that we may have access to excellent photos of wrestlers in every area. If you are interested in a photo collection, we urge you to write to me every month with your vote as to the picture of the month. The photographer taking that picture will be rewarded and that photo and possibly other photos that you express an interest in, will be made available for your purchase in the 8 x 10 glossy size.

RESULTS KEY: b-beat, d-draw, nc-no contest (both dq.), dq-won by disqualification, cor-counted out of ring.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

August 15, 1962--Los Angeles

1. Ray Stern b Art Mahalik
2. Danny Hodge b Aldo Bogni
3. Gene LeBell b Ted Christy
4. Sir Alan Garfield-Great Togo d Eric Rommell & Dick Garza (Igor)
5. Thesz-Hutton b K. Von Schober-Mike Sharpe
6. The Destroyer (Dr. X) b F. Blassie

August 17, 1962--Indianapolis

1. Robert of Paris b Slim Marlin
2. Don Marlin b Red Grupe
3. Bobby Graham b Mark Stone
4. Bill Miller b Guy Mitchell (Stomper)
5. Don Leo Johnathan b Ricky Cortez
6. Dick the Bruiser b Tony Borne
7. Pee Wee Lopez & Chico Santana b Little Boy Blue & Frenchy Semard
8. Baby Cheryl b Darlin Dagmar
9. Bruiser won 12-man battle royal
10. Art & Stan Neilson b George & Sandy Scott--regain tag title.

August 17, 1962--Chicago

1. Johnny Kace b Arnold Skoaland
2. The Mongol b Johnny Gilbert
3. Billy Darnell b Angelo Poffo, dq.
4. Hans Schmidt d Tony Manousis
5. Johnny Barend b Red Bastien
6. Killer Kowalski b Shobei Baba, dq.
7. Bobo Brazil & Edouard Carpentier b The Fabulous Kangaroos, dq.

August 5, 1963--Augusta, Ga.

1. Timmy Geohagen d Tito Kopa
2. Darrell Cochran b Tarzan Tyler, dq
3. Kurt & Karl Von Braunner b Joe Scarpa (Strongbow)-Bill Dromo

August 6, 1970--Salem, Ore.

1. Don Morrow (Muraco) b Dutch Savage, dq.
2. Bobby Nichols b Rick Renaldo
3. Beauregarde nc The Claw (Andrews)

August 7, 1970--Richmond

1. Rip Hawk b Bob Ramstead
2. Swede Hanson b El Gaucho (Sebastian)
3. Tommy Seigler d Rock Hunter
4. Weaver-Terry Kay-George Becker b J.C. Dykes & his Infernos

Illustrated Wrestling Digest would appreciate any old results you have for this feature.

I. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-1, Fargo, N.D.

1. Ramon Torres b Rene Goulet, dq.
2. Wahoo McDaniel b Hans Hermann
3. Koloff-Big K b Muraco-Torres
4. Bill Robinson b Larry Hennig

8-1, Dallas, Texas

1. Jose Lothario b Tommy Seigler
2. Dory Dixon b John L. Sullivan
3. Bearcat Wright b Pedro Godoy
4. Stan Stasiak b Fritz Von Erich, dq.
5. Bastien-Lyons b The Alaskans

8-1, Raleigh, N. C.

1. Ronnie Garvin b Billy Hines
2. Sandy Scott b George Harris
3. Boyd-Charles b Jacobs-R. Curtis
4. Brisco-Patterson b Hawk-Hanson, dq.

8-1, Savannah, Ga.

1. Timothy Geohagen d Wayne Cowen
2. George Grant b Juan Caruso, dq.
3. Joe Turner b Nick Russo
4. Dick Steinborn b Rocket Monroe
5. The Avenger b Bill Bowman, dq.
6. Ray Gunkel b Ox Baker

8-1, Tampa, Florida

1. Lilly Thomas b Sandy Parker
2. Robert Fuller d Mike Webster
3. Hiro Matsuda b Jim Dillon
4. Buddy Colt b Johnny Walker
5. Zodiac b Dale Lewis
6. Bockwinkel-Stevens nc Fuller-Woods
7. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco, dq.

8-2, Miami, Florida

1. Tony Garea b Dick Slater, dq.
2. Taurus b George McCreary
3. Lilly Thomas b Sandy Parker
4. Bockwinkel-Stevens b Matsuda-Fuller
6. Tim Woods b Zodiac

8-2, Rockford, Ill.

1. Hans Hermann b George Gadaski
2. Ramon Torres b Rene Goulet
3. Don Muraco & Bull Bullinski b Ivan Koloff (handicap)
4. Crusher-McDaniel b Rhodes-Hennig

8-2, Lubbock, Texas

1. Moose Morowski d Suni WarCloud
2. Pak-Song-Cody b Duncum-Murdoch, dq.
3. Ciclon Negro b Sal Dominguez
4. Al Hayes b Kurt Von Steiger
5. Goliath-Gordman b T. Funk-Romero

8-2, San Antonio, Texas

1. Red Lyons b Frank Monte
2. Tommy Seigler b Mike York, dq.
3. Bearcat Wright b John L. Sullivan
4. Lothario-Dixon b York-Malenko
5. Johnny Valentine b Red Bastien, dq.

8-3, Amarillo, Texas

1. Lang-Dominguez b Farmer Pete-Cody
2. Pak-Song b Moose Morowski
3. Red Devil b Mr. Wrestling
4. Karl Von Steiger b Suni War Cloud
5. N. Kozak-Pak Song b Duncum-Murdoch
6. Ciclon Negro b Al Hayes

8-3, New Orleans, La.

1. Igor Putski b Sigried Stanke
2. Tarzan Tyler b George Strickland
3. Bob Sweetan b Dennis Stamp
4. Garvin-Meyers b Grizzly-Eagles

8-3, Norfolk, Va.

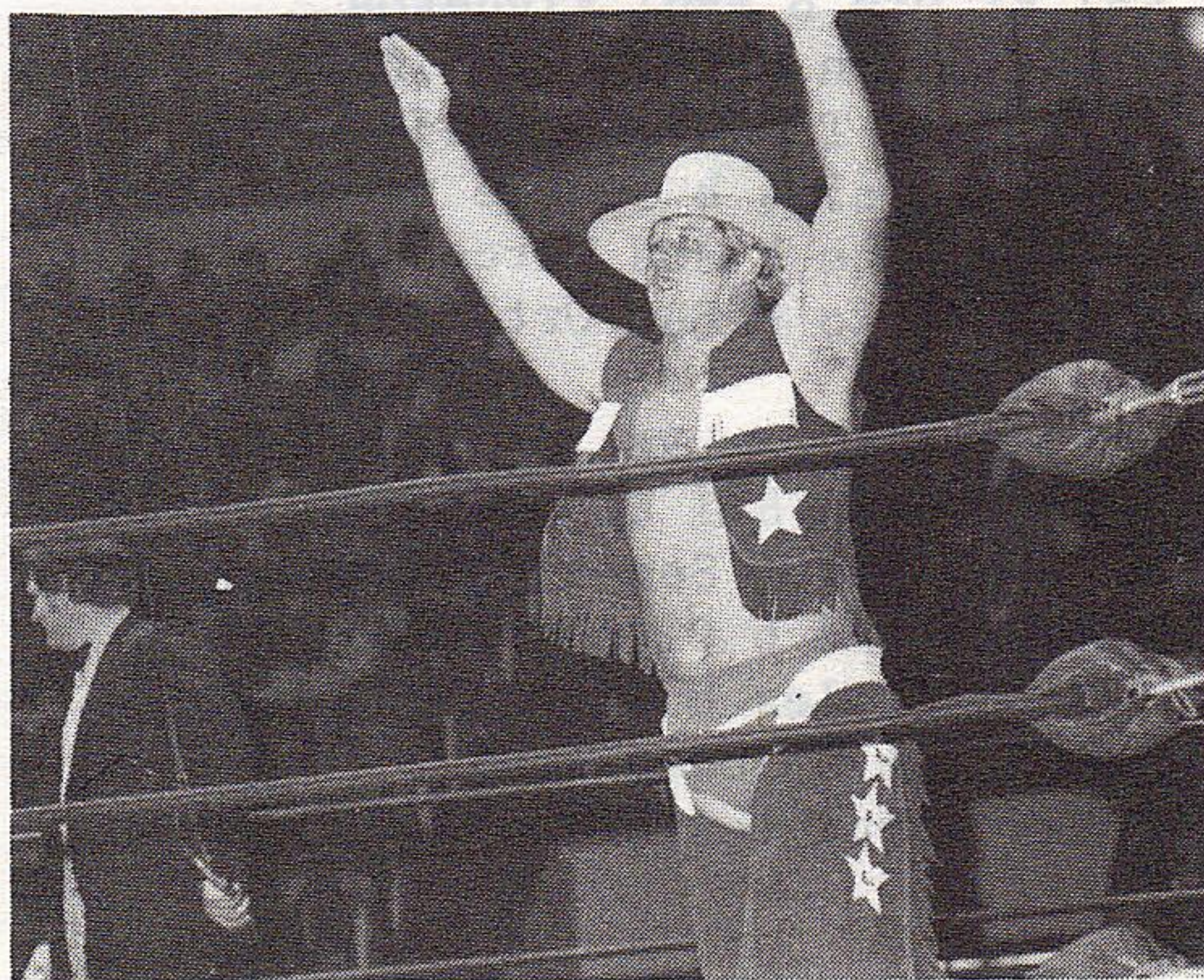
1. Frank Hester b Billy Hines
2. Dennis McCord b Joe Soto
3. Man Mtn. Mike-Jacobs b Hunter-Suzuki
4. Royal-McCord b Gene-Ole Anderson

8-3, Victoria, B.C.

1. Gil Hayes b John Foley
2. Buck Ramstead d Eddie Morrow
3. Higuchi-Little Bear b Akbar-Glenn
4. John Quinn b Stan Frazier

8-3, Jacksonville, Florida

1. Mike Graham b Taurus
2. Stevens-Bockwinkel b Woods-Tillet
3. Colt-Robley d E. Graham-D. Curtis
4. Paul Jones d Jack Brisco



Terry Funk

II. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-3, Fredericton, N. B.

1. Earl Black b Pierre LaFaber
2. The Beast b Jack Steele
3. Kay-Burk b R. Sweetan-M. DuBois
4. Karl Krupp b Bulldog Brown

8-4, Charleston, S.C.

1. Big Boy Brown b Krusher Karlson
2. Williams-Johnson b Rose-Kaye (girls)
3. Swede Hanson b The Avenger
4. Ronnie Garvin b Gary Hart
5. Johnny Weaver b Rip Hawk

8-4, Atlanta, Ga.

1. John Caruso b George Grant
2. Timothy Geohagen b Bill Bowman, dq.
3. Joe Turner b Jesse James
4. Monroe-Baker d Soto-Armstrong
5. Assassin #2 b Dick Steinborn
6. Argentina Apollo b Nick Bockwinkel, dq.

8-4, Lynchburg, Va.

1. Joe Soto b Dave Finlay
2. Charley Fulton b Terry Sawyer
3. Boyd-Charles b Hester-Thatcher
4. Matti Suzuki b Nelson Royal

8-4, Richmond, Va.

1. Sandy Scott b George Harris
2. Dennis McCord b Rock Hunter, dq.
3. Brute Bernard b Man Mtn. Mike
4. Gene-Ole Anderson b Dillon-Jacobs
5. T-Bolt Patterson b Johnny Heidman
6. Haystacks Calhoun b Bobby Paul
7. Patterson won 14-man battle royal
8. Art Neilson b Homer O'Dell
9. Jerry Brisco b Missouri Mauler

8-4, Asbury Park, N.J.

1. Sal El Din b Paul Figueroa
2. Black Demon b Tomas Marin
3. Professor Tanaka d Chief Strongbow
4. Pedro Morales b George Steele, cor.
5. El Olympico b Joe Turco
6. Manuel Soto b Ben Ortiz

8-5, Philadelphia, Pa.

1. Joe Turco b Sal El Din
2. The Spoiler b Sonny King, cor.
3. Fuji-Tanaka b Olympico-Black Demon
4. Pedro Morales b George Steele, dq.
5. Ben Ortiz d Tomas Marin
6. Chief Strongbow b Chuck O'Connor

8-5, Hereford, Texas

1. Farmer Pete b Cowboy Lang (midgets)
2. Bobby Duncum b Suni War Cloud
3. Al Hayes b Dick Murdoch, dq.
4. Mr. Wrestling-Pak Song b Red Devil-Dykes-Von Steiger (handicap)

8-5, Minneapolis, Minn.

1. Buddy Wolfe b Frank Diamond
2. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski
3. Don Muraco b Big K
4. Ivan Koloff b Ramon Torres
5. Bockwinkel-Stevens b Robinson-Wahoo

8-5, Lincoln, Neb.

1. Jerry Miller b Mark Starr
2. Chris Colt b Steve Bolus
3. Stan Pulaski b Higo Hamaguchi
4. Cowboy Bob Ellis b Chris Markoff

8-5, Indianapolis, Ind.

1. Vic Rossetani b Mark Manson
2. Princess Jasmine b Paula Steele
3. Moose Cholak b Johnny Kace
4. Seaman Art Thomas b Hans Hermann
5. Poffo-Dillinger b Red Cloud-Bold Eagle
6. Wilbur Snyder b Ricky Cortez
7. Crusher b Mulligan-Heenan (handicap)
8. Baron Von Raschke b Bruiser, dq.

8-6, Green Bay, Wis.

1. Rene Goulet d Ramon Torres
2. Don Muraco b Hans Hermann
3. Bill Robinson b Nick Bockwinkel
4. Crusher-McDaniel b Rhodes-Hennig

8-7, Atlantic City, N.J.

1. Joe Turco b Juan Rodriguez
2. George Steele b Tomas Marin
3. King-Strongbow b Tanaka-Fuji, dq.
4. Black Demon d Chuck O'Connor
5. The Spoiler b El Olympico

8-7, Charlotte, N.C.

1. Ronnie Garvin b Bobby Paul
2. Sandy Scott b Billy Hines
3. Man Mtn. Mike b Joe Soto
4. Boyd-Charles b Thatcher-Avenger
5. Haystacks Calhoun b Frank Morrell
6. Calhoun won 12-man battle royal.

8-7, Fort Worth, Tex.

1. John L. Sullivan b Pedro Godoy
2. Alaskans b Seigler-Dixon
3. Bearcat Wright b Scandor Akbar
4. Boris Malenko b Red Lyons
5. Red Bastien b Stan Stasiak

III. AUGUST RESULTS

8-7, Greenville, S.C.

1. Rock Hunter & Matti Suzuki won round robin tag team tournament from Nelson Royal & Dennis McCord, and Gene & Ole Anderson.
2. Jerry Brisco b Abe Jacobs

8-7, Vancouver, B.C.

1. Buck Ramstead b John Foley
2. Gil Hayes b Jack Bence
3. Eddie Morrow b Bob Demon
4. Donna Lemke b Terri LaChance
5. Dean Higuchi b Ray Glenn
6. Quinn-Brown b Savage-Little Bear
7. Higuchi won 9-man battle royal

8-7, Birmingham, Ala.

1. Joey Rossi b Steve Kyle
2. Tom Drake b Mr. Pro
3. K. Sullivan-T. Gilbert-Bearcat Brown b Jim White-Jerry Lawler-Sam Bass
4. Len Rossi b George Hultz
5. Yamamoto-Dromo b Interns

8-7, Tulsa, Okla.

1. Vick Nichols d Treach Phillips
2. Silento Rodriguez b The Mongol
3. Watts-Igor Putski b Garvin-Meyers
4. Bill Watts b Bob Sweetan, dq.

8-7, Orlando, Fla.

1. Dick Slater b Ken Yates
2. Webster-Slater b George-Casey
3. Mike Graham b Scorpion
4. Buddy Colt b Louie Tillet
5. Bob Orton b Hiro Matsuda
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Jack Brisco, dq.

8-7, Hickory, N.C.

1. Joe Wilson nc Otis Uptent
2. Texas Menace b Johnny Red Cloud
3. Johnny Gordon b Ripper Ox, dq.
4. Norma Gordon b Morgana Morgan, cor.
5. Rock Riddle b Johnny Gordon
6. Ripper Ox-Wilson b Shaw-Watson

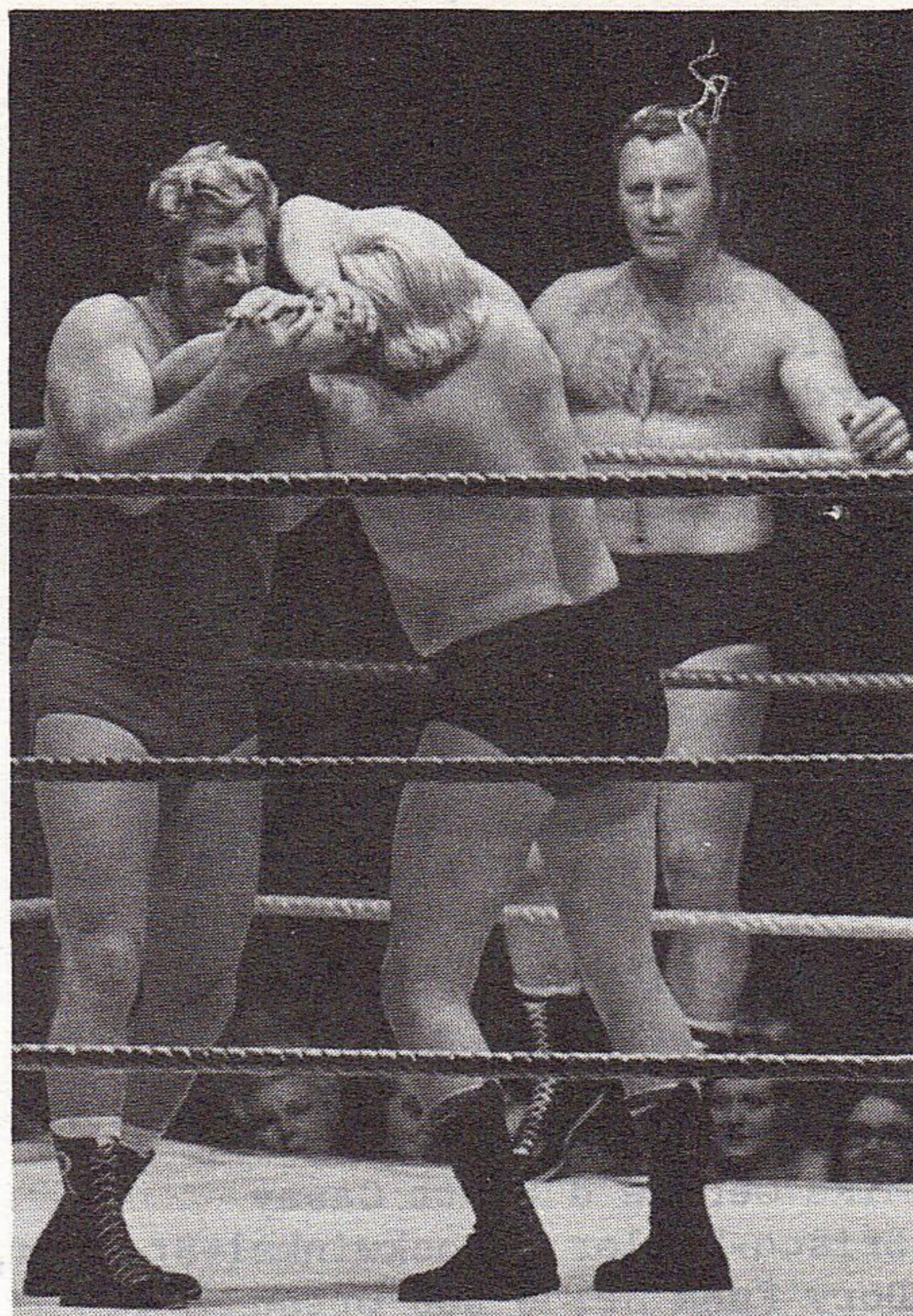
8-8, Tampa, Florida

1. Taurus b Mike George
2. Tim Woods b The Zodiac
3. Ed-Mike Graham b Red Beard-Webster
4. Nick Bockwinkel b Ron Fuller
5. Jack Brisco b Ray Stevens
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Buddy Colt

8-8, Kensington, P.E.I.

1. Dupre-O'Brien b Mr. X-Cuban Assassin
2. Sweet Daddy Siki b Chief Black Eagle
3. Don Leo Jonathan d Jean Ferre

Red Bastien attempts to gain the advantage from Ray Stevens during tag team action while Ray's partner Nick Bockwinkel looks on.*****



8-8, Halifax, N.S.

1. Tony Roma b Earl Black, dq.
2. Beaver-Hayes b Adams-Little Boy Blue
3. Killer Karl Krupp b Rudy Kay
4. Burk-B. Kay b F. Sweetan-M. DuBois

8-8, Dallas, Texas

1. Tommy Seigler b Pedro Godoy
2. Dory Dixon b Scandor Akbar
3. Alaskans d Lothrio-Lyons
4. Fritz Von Erich b Stan Stasiak
5. Bearcat Wright b Boris Malenko

8-8, Raleigh, N.C.

1. Ronnie Garvin d Matti Suzuki
2. Gene Anderson b Les Thatcher
3. Rock Hunter b Charlie Fulton
4. Sandy Scott b Billy Hines
5. Luke Brown b George Harris
6. Haystacks Calhoun b Swede Hanson, dq.
7. Man Mtn. Mike b Krusher Karlson
8. Mike won 14-man battle royal

8-8, Cincinnati, Ohio

1. Ben Justice d Killer Brooks
2. Bill Miller b Karl Von Stroheim
3. Dan Miller d Yoshino Sato
4. Tony Marino b Hans Schmidt
5. Valentine-Firpo b Stomper-Brazil

IV. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-9, Sacramento, Calif.

1. Antonio Rocca b Stan Neilson
2. Beauregarde b Haru Sasaki
3. Samoans b Collins-Khan
4. Anderson-Mephisto nc Gomez-Johnson
5. Pat Patterson b Paul DeMarco, dq.

8-9, Lubbock, Texas

1. Mr. Wrestling b Moose Morowski
2. Ciclon Negro b Suni War Cloud
3. Murdoch-Duncum b Hayes-Pak Song
4. Ricky Romero b Goliath
5. Terry Funk b Black Gordman

8-9, San Antonio, Texas

1. Bastien-Wright b Sullivan-Godoy
2. Alaskans b Seigler-Williams
3. Bastien-Wright b Stasiak-Malenko
4. Alaskans b Lothario-Dixon, dq.
5. Bastien-Wright b Alaskans

8-9, Miami, Florida

1. Buddy Colt b Louie Tillet
2. Mike Graham b Taurus
3. Red Beard b Bob Griffin
4. Mike George d Scott Casey
5. Brisco-Fuller b Bockwinkel-Stevens, dq.
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Bob Orton

8-10, Jacksonville, Fla.

1. Dick Slater b Ken Yates
2. Mike Webster b Mike George
3. Nick Bockwinkel d Tim Woods
4. Ray Stevens b Louie Tillet
5. Mike-Ed Graham b Colt-Robley
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Paul Jones

8-10, Norfolk, Va.

1. Luke Brown b Krusher Karlson
2. Les Thatcher b John Heidman
3. Frank Hester b Billy Hines
4. Hunter-Suzuki b Brisco-Scott
5. Hawk-Hanson b Royal-McCord

8-10, Fredericton, N.B.

1. Tony Roma b Earl Black, dq.
2. The Beast b Del Skinner
3. Beaver-Hayes b Adams-Little Boy Blue
4. Bobby Kay b Mike DuBois
5. Killer Karl Krupp b Rudy Kay

8-10, Amarillo, Texas

1. Moose Morowski b Bill Cody
2. Karl Von Steiger b Dennis Bockwinkel
3. Murdoch-Duncum b Pak Song-Funk Sr. dq.
4. Ciclon Negro b Nick Kozak
5. Lord Al Hayes b The Red Devil

8-10, New Orleans, La.

1. Dennis Stamp b Treach Phillips
2. Tarzan Tyler b Leo Seitz
3. Grizzly-Ivan b Meyers-Garvin
4. Bill Watts b Bob Sweetan, dq.

8-10, Greensboro, N.C.

1. Gene Anderson b Jim Dillon
2. Man Mtn. Mike b Frank Morrell
3. Ole Anderson b Abe Jacobs
4. Boyd-Charles b Garvin-Avenger
5. Haystacks Calhoun b George Harris
6. T-Bolt Patterson b Joe Soto
7. Patterson won 14-man battle royal
8. Bernard-Mauler b Weaver-Neilson

8-11, Denver, Colo.

1. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski
2. Ramon Torres b Big K
3. McDaniel-Muraco b Hennig-Rhodes
4. Bill Robinson b Ivan Koloff

8-11, Gary, Ind.

1. Nicoli Volkoff d Jose Martinez
2. Jackie Patterson b Mary Jane Mull
3. Red Cloud-Bold Eagle b Poffo-Dillinger
4. Wilbur Snyder d Black Jack Mulligan
5. Bruiser b Von Raschke & Heenan

8-11, Charleston, S.C.

1. David Finlay b Charlie Fulton
2. Avenger d George Harris
3. Boyd-Charles b Hester-Dillon
4. Weaver-Neilson-Garvin b Homer O'Dell-Brute Bernard-Missouri Mauler

8-11, Atlanta, Ga.

1. Jesse James b John Caruso
2. Bill Bowman b George Grant
3. Sandy Parker b Lilly Thomas
4. Joe Turner b Cisco Grimaldo
5. Rocket Monroe d The Avenger
6. Calhoun-Apollo-Soto b Assassins-Ox

8-11, Richmond, Va.

1. Les Thatcher b Joe Soto
2. Abe Jacobs d Rock Hunter
3. Luke Brown b Krusher Karlson
4. T-Bolt Patterson b Matti Suzuki
5. Gene-Ole Anderson b McCord-Royal

8-11, Calgary, Alberta

1. Tiger Joe Tomasso b Dave Ruhl
2. Kroffat-Superhawk b Kamata-Sito
3. Geoff Portz b Beautiful Brutus
4. Kendo Nagasaki b Bob Pringle
5. Villa-Pirie b Hurst-Rogers

V. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-11, Lynchburg

1. Johnny Heidman b Angelo Martinelli
2. Terry Sawyer b Sonny Fargo
3. Man Mtn. Mike b Bobby Paul
4. Brisco-Scott b Hawk-Hanson
5. Billy Hines b Frank Morrell

8-11, Pittsburgh, Pa.

1. Joe Furr b Frank Durso
2. Manuel Soto b Pancho Lopez
3. Johnny DeFazio b Jim Grabmire
4. Black Demon b Frank Holtz
5. Luis Martinez b Joe Turco
6. Don-John Fargo b Rivera-Marshall
7. Waldo Von Erich b Bruno Sammartino, dq.

8-11, Los Angeles, Cal.

1. Fritz Von Goering b Pantera Negra
2. Raul Mata d El Espectro
3. Rayo Blanco d Billy Graham
4. Ruben Juarez b Goliath
5. Eric Froelich b Black Gordman
6. Shibuya-Saito d Samoans
7. Ernie Ladd b Bobo Brazil

8-12, Detroit (Cobo)

1. J. B. Psycho b Frankie Laine
2. Joey Russell won 7-midget royal
3. Magnificent Zulu b Karl VonStroheim
4. McGuires b Vigneault-Sharkey-Guinon
5. Dan-Bill Miller d Singh-Parisi
6. John-Jacques Rougeau b Brooks-Sato
7. Ramon Rougeau b Butch Morgan
8. Tex McKenzie b Hans Schmidt
9. Justice-Stomper b Cannon-Kent, dq.
10. Igor Vodik nc Johnny Valentine
11. The Sheik nc Tony Marino
12. Pampero Firpo b Bobo Brazil

8-12, Cleveland, Ohio

1. SkyLowLow-Little Brutus won midget tag tournament
2. Marino-Parisi won tag tournament
3. Green-Thomas won women's tag tournament
4. Johnny Powers b Johnny Valentine
5. Abdullah the Butcher b Ernie Ladd, dq.
6. Bobo Brazil b Tim Brooks
7. White Owl-McDaniel b Don-John Fargo
8. Fabulous Moolah b Vicki Williams
9. Rose-Christantello b Parker-Johnson

8-12, Boston, Mass.

1. Joe Crugnali b Dean Ross
2. Chuck O'Connor b Chuck Richards
3. Joe Turco b Lee Wong
4. The Spoiler b Gorilla Monsoon, cor.
5. Pedro Morales b George Steele
6. El Olimpico b Ricky Sexton
7. Black Demon b Tomas Marin
8. Strongbow-King d Tanaka-Fuji

8-13, Toronto, Ont.

1. Carlos Rocha b Masked Executioner
2. The Beast b Masked Marvel
3. Dan Miller b Mike Loren
4. Johnny Valentine b Nikita Mulkovich
5. Pampero Firpo b Ivan Kalmikoff
6. Kent-Cannon d McKenzie-Justice
7. Big Brutus b Lee Henning, dq.
8. Peggy Patterson d Dottie Downs
9. Love Bros. d Marino-Robertson
10. Tiger Jeet Singh b Killer Brooks
11. Zulu-Igor b Von Stroheim-Schmidt
12. Fabulous Moolah b Joyce Becker
13. The Sheik b Tony Parisi, dq.

8-13, Detroit (Olympia)

1. Vic Rossetani b Ben Jarrels
2. Bobo Johnson b Little Bruiser
3. Moose Cholak b Johnny Kace
4. Art Thomas b Ricky Cortez
5. Red Cloud-Bold Eagle b Poffo-Dillinger
6. Baron Von Raschke b Wilbur Snyder
7. Bruiser-Crusher b Lanza-Mulligan, dq.

8-14, Davenport, Ia.

1. Don Muraco d Rene Goulet
2. Bull Bullinski b George Gadaski
3. Robinson-Torres b Koloff-Big K
4. Dusty Rhodes b Wahoo McDaniel

8-14, Charlotte

1. Ronnie Garvin b Frank Morrell
2. Jim Dillon b The Avenger
3. Luke Brown b Joe Soto
4. Abe Jacobs b Billy Hines
5. Jack Brisco b Rip Hawk, dq.
6. Jerry Brisco b Gary Hart
7. Weaver-Neilson-Patterson b Bernard-O'Dell-Mo. Mauler.

8-14, Vancouver

1. Ray Glenn b John Foley
2. Buck Ramstead b Bob Demon
3. Gil Hayes d Eddie Morrow
4. Dean Higuchi b Gene Kiniski, dq.
5. Savage-Little Bear b Quinn-Brown

8-14, Fort Worth, Tex.

1. Jose Lothario b John L. Sullivan
2. Stan Stasiak b Tommy Seigler
3. Mike Paidousis b Pedro Godoy
4. Boris Malenko b Dory Dixon
5. Dixon-Wright-Lyons b Alaskans-Malenko

8-14, Birmingham, Ala.

1. Tom Drake b Great Fuji
2. Brown-Rossi b Lawler-Bass
3. Hultz-Blitzer b T. Gilbert- Boyer
4. Interns b Yamamoto-Dromo

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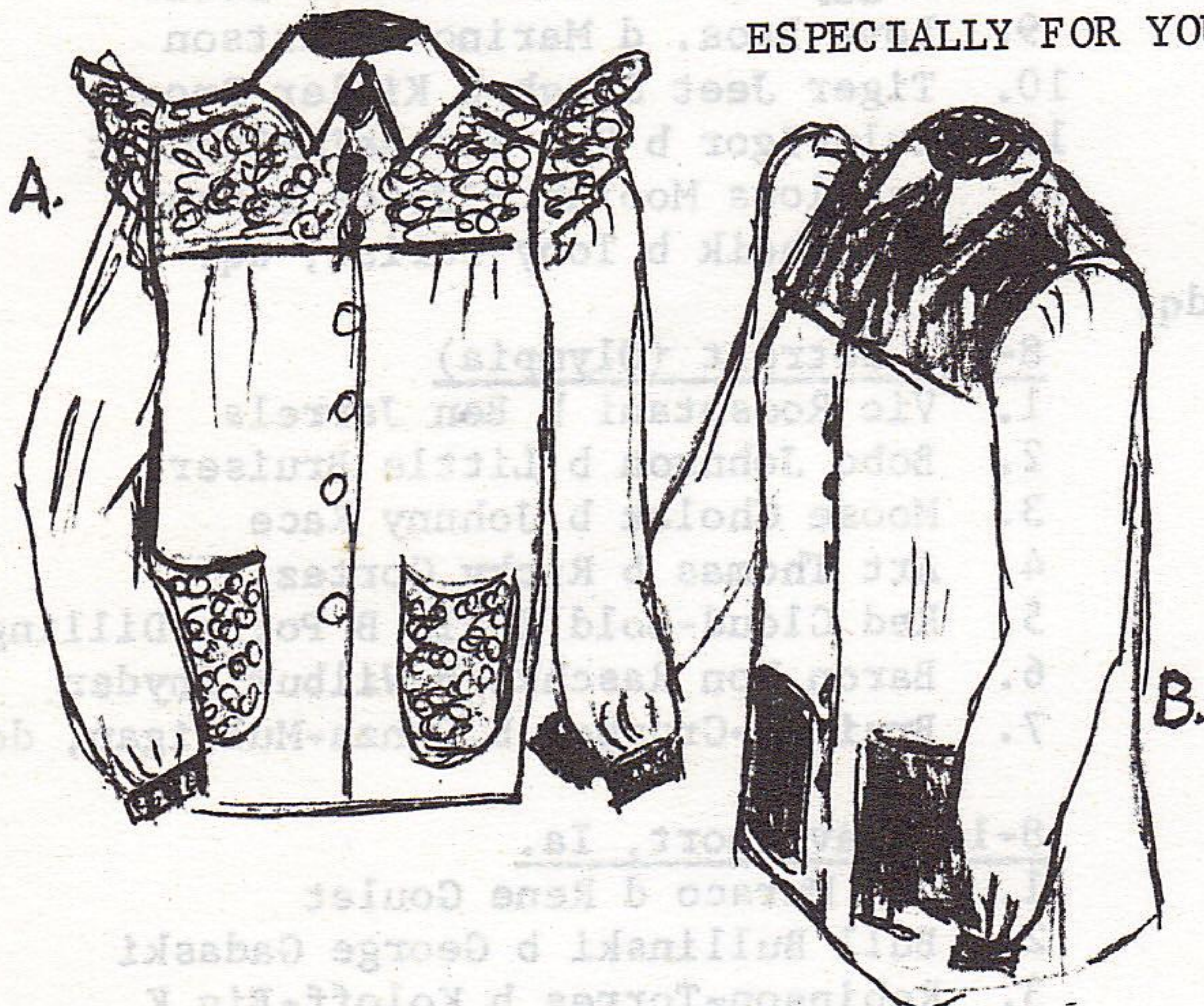
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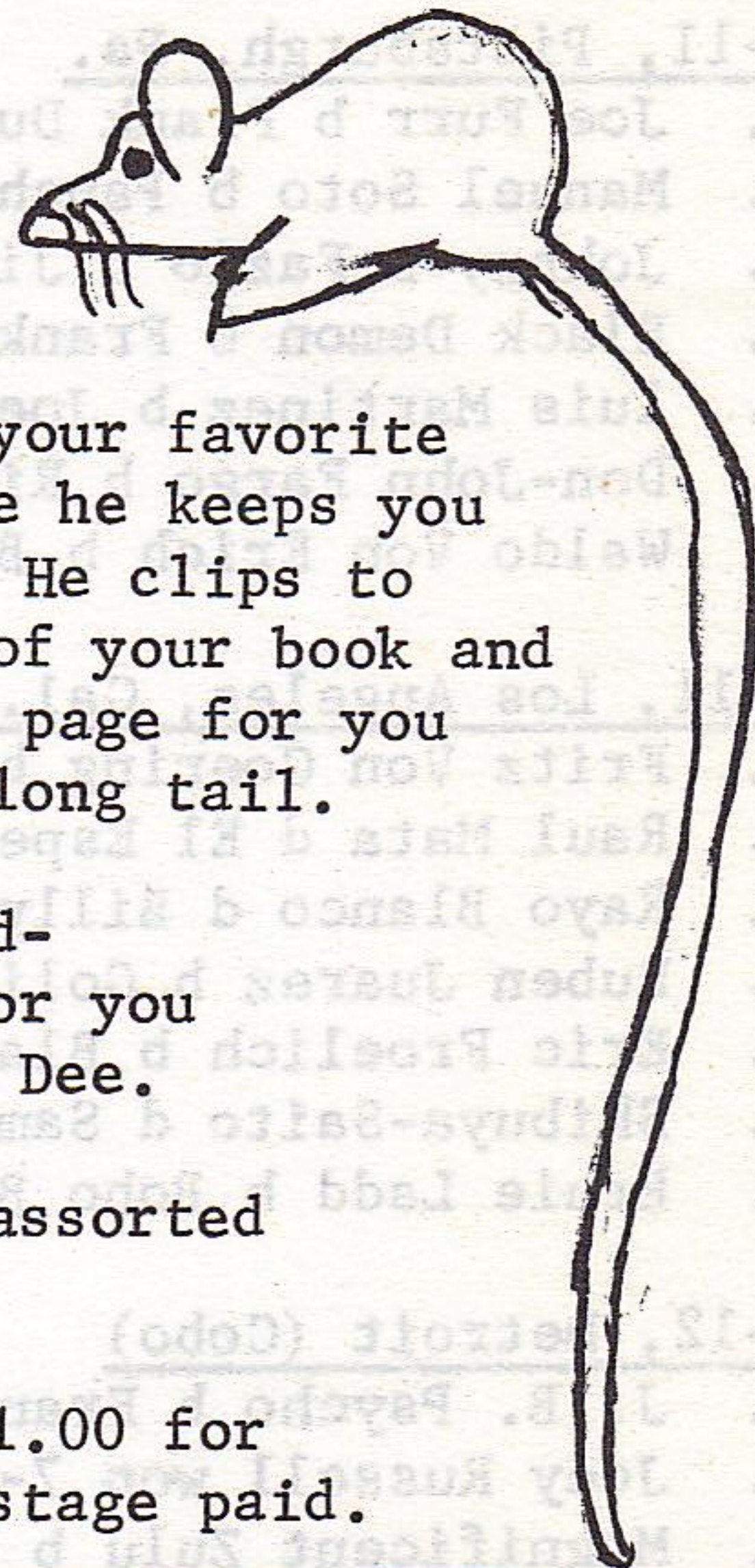
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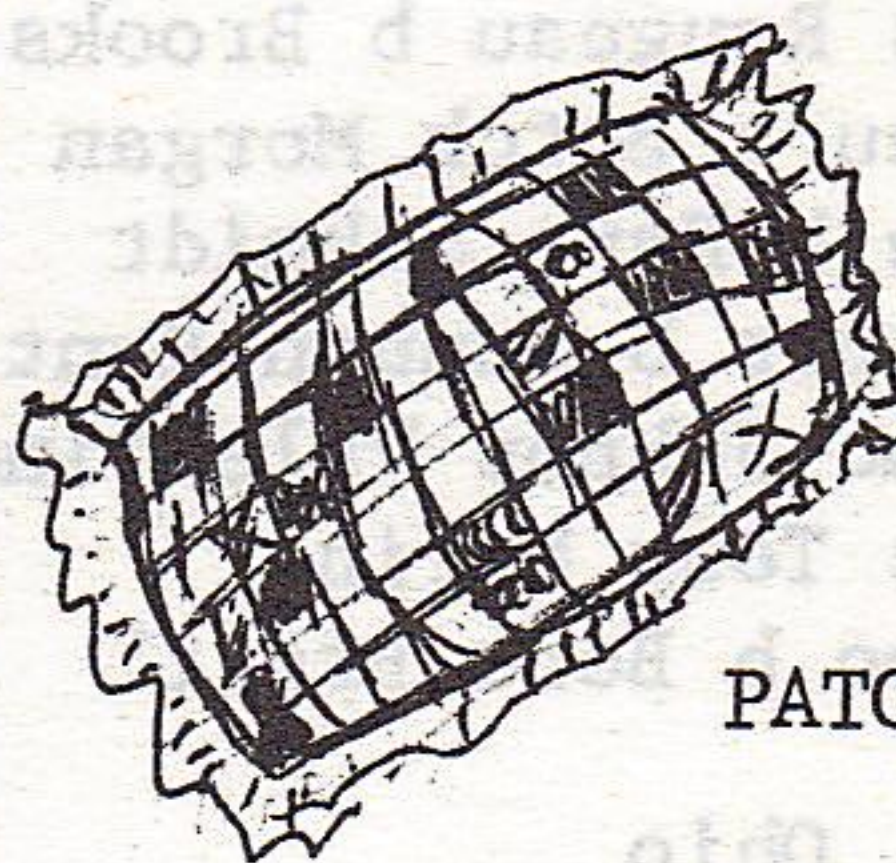
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VI. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-14, Tulsa, Okla.

1. Silento Rodriguez b Pancho Rosario
2. The Mongol b Vick Nichols
3. Tarzan Tyler b Johnny Eagles
4. Bill Watts b Bob Sweetan, cor.
5. Parents-Hart b Mantell-Jones

8-14, Orlando, Fla.

1. Dick Slater d Tony Garea
2. Griffin-George b Webster-Redbeard
3. Bonnie Watson b Margie Ramsey
4. Buddy Colt b Bob Roop
5. Hiro Matsuda b Bob Orton
6. Tim Woods d Paul Jones

8-14, Hickory, N. C.

1. Red Rogers b John Gunter, cor.
2. Morgana Morgan d Norma Gordon
3. Rock Riddle nc Curtis Lackey
4. Billy Becker b Johnny Red Cloud
5. Menace-Bolo #1 b Forrest-Shaw

8-15, Stockton, Cal.

1. Tio Taylor b Haru Sasaki
2. Reno Tufuli b Ripper Collins
3. DeMarco-Mephisto b Gomez-Rocca
4. Rocky Johnson d Lars Anderson

8-15, Dallas, Tex.

1. George Scott b Pedro Godoy
2. The Alaskans d Lothario-Dixon
3. Boris Malenko b Tommy Seigler
4. Stan Stasiak d Fritz Von Erich
5. Bearcat Wright b Johnny Valentine, dq.
6. Red Bastien b John L. Sullivan

8-15, Tampa, Fla.

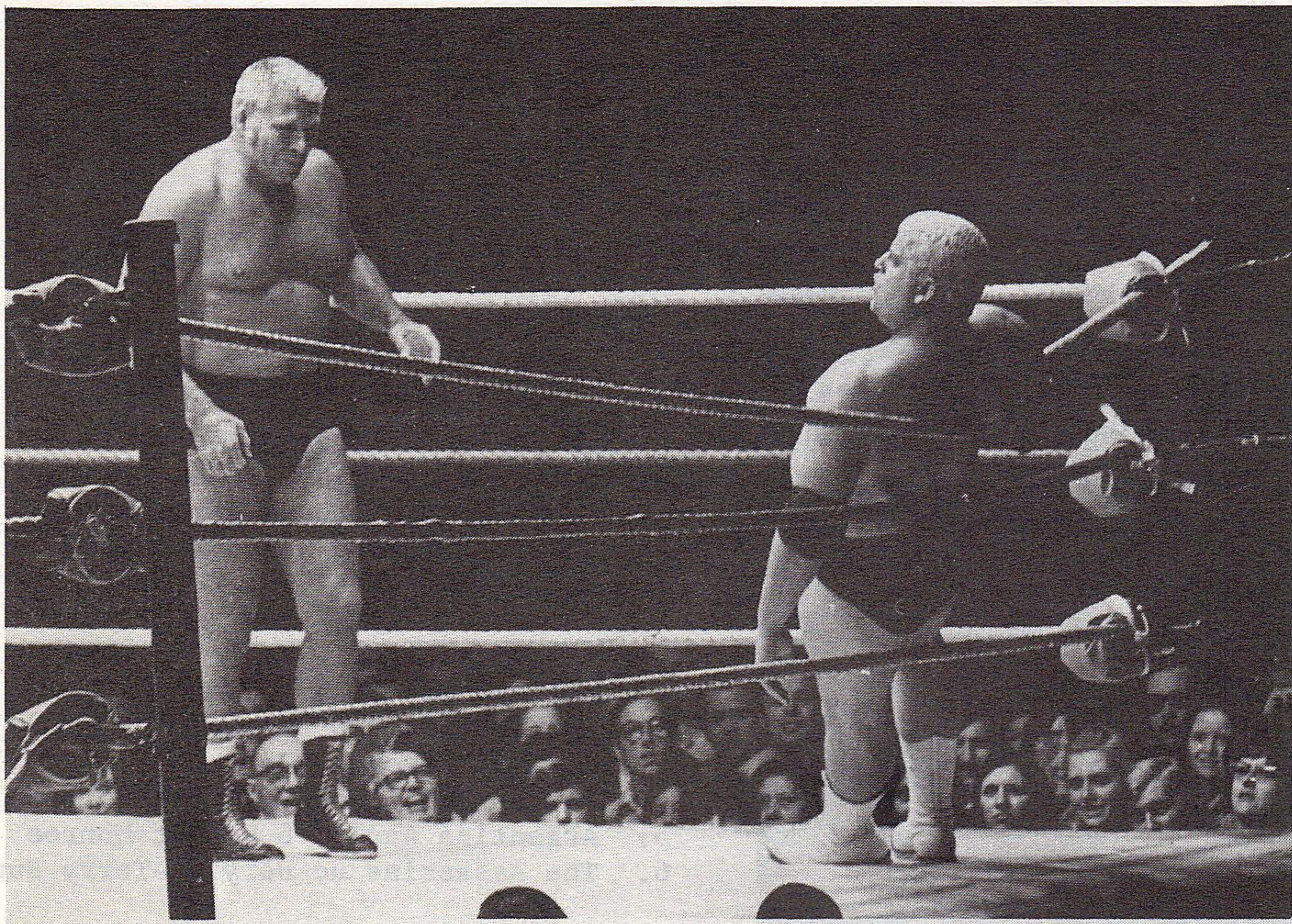
1. Taurus d Tony Garea
2. Bob Orton b Bob Roop
3. Bonnie Watson b Peggy Allen
4. Orton-Matsuda b Bockwinkel-Stevens
5. Tim Woods b Paul Jones
6. Eddie Graham b Red beard

8-15, Kensington

1. O'Brien-Dupre b Dr. X-Peller
2. Sonny Boy Hayes b Pee Wee Adams
3. Siki-Assassin nc War Eagle-Two Rivers

8-15, Savannah, Ga.

1. Jim McKenny d Dick Shannon
2. Darling Dagmar b Diamond Lil
3. Turner-Bowman b James-Grant
4. Roberto Soto b Joe Turner
5. Ox Baker b Dickie Steinborn



Dusty Rhodes is draped across the ropes during his March 25, 1972 bout with Wilbur Snyder

VII. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-15, Raleigh, N. Carolina

1. Frank Hester b Joe Soto
2. Dennis McCord b Bobby Paul
3. John Heidman b David Finlay
4. The Avenger b Matti Suzuki, dq.
5. Rock Hunter d Ronnie Garvin
6. Brisco-Patterson b Hawk-Hanson

8-16, Des Moines, Iowa

1. The Viking b Juan Sebastian
2. Les Thornton b The Scorpion
3. Jean Antone b Betty Niccoli
4. Kirby-Campbell b Jones-O'Connor
5. Dory Funk Jr. b The Stomper

8-16, San Antonio, Tex.

1. Red Lyons b Mike Paidousis
2. Dory Dixon b John L. Sullivan
3. Bearcat Wright b Mike York
4. Jose Lothario b Tommy Seigler
5. Johnny Valentine b Boris Malenko
6. Red Bastien b Stan Stasiak

8-16, Miami, Fla.

1. Mike Webster b Mike George
2. Matsuda-Griffin b Colt-Slater
3. Bonnie Watson b Peggy Allen
4. Hiro Matsuda b Ray Stevens, dq.
6. Tim Woods b Bob Orton

8-16, San Jose, Cal.

1. Beauregarde b Haru Sasaki
2. Tio Taylor b Kubla Khan
3. Johnson-Gomez-Tufuli b Mephisto-DeMarco-Anderson

8-17, Norfolk, Va.

1. Bobby Williams b Johnny Heidman
2. Swede Hanson b Charlie Fulton
3. Ronnie Garvin b Frank Morrell
4. George Harris b Angelo Martinelli
5. Boyd-Charles b Man Mtn. Mike-Jacobs.
6. Rip Hawk b Johnny Weaver

8-17, Jacksonville, Fla.

1. Mike George b Taurus
2. Bonnie Watson b Peggy Allen
3. Zodiac d Hiro Matsuda
4. Woods-Brisco b Stevens-Bockwinkel
5. Paul Jones b Bob Roop
6. Buddy Colt b Eddie Graham

8-17, Amarillo, Tex.

1. Dory Funk Sr. b J.C. Dykes
2. Pak-Song d Karl Von Steiger
3. Moose Morowski b Suni War Cloud
4. Ricki Starr b Mr. Okuma
5. Murdoch-Duncum b N. Kozak-Romero, dq.
6. Ciclon Negro b Terry Funk

8-17, Fredericton, N. B.

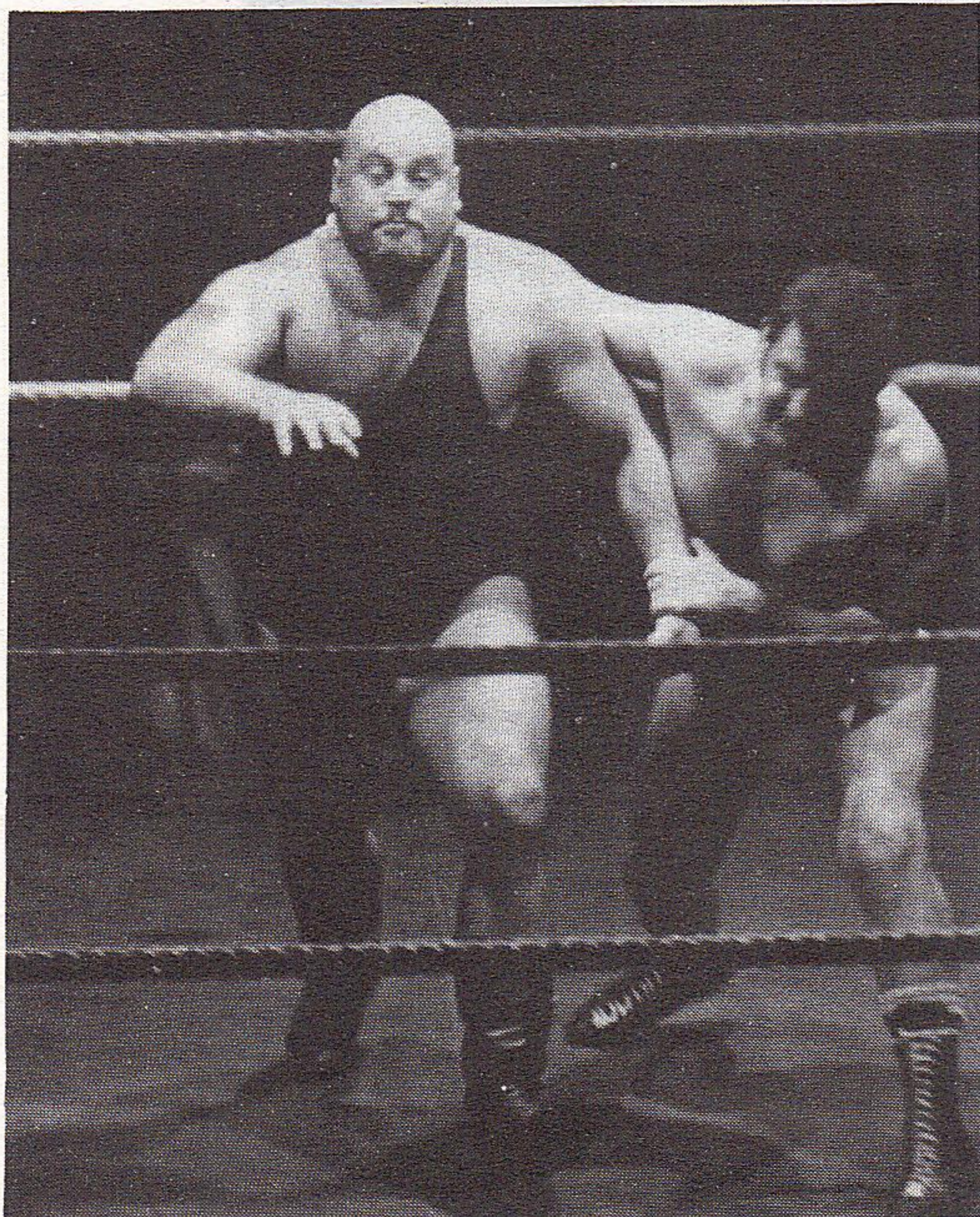
1. Del Skinner b Jerry Hall
2. Earl Black d Bobby Kay
3. Freddie Sweetan b Tony Roma
4. The Beast b Mike DuBois
5. Leo Burk d Karl Von Drupp
6. Earl Black won the 10-man royal

8-17, Winnipeg, Man.

1. Bob Tuck b Wilf Caron
2. Bobby Jones b Bill Kochan
3. Rene Goulet b Dave Muir
4. Bull Bullinski b Butcher Vachon
5. Ramon Torres b Hans Hermann
6. McDaniel-Muraco b Rhodes-Hennig
7. Bill Robinson b Ivan Koloff

8-18, Atlanta, Ga.

1. Wayne Cowan d The Champ
2. Scandor Akbar b Jesse James
3. Dick Steinborn b John Caruso
4. Bowman-Turner d Armstrong-Soto
5. Argentina Apollo b Rocket Monroe
6. The Assassins nc Dory Sr-Terry Funk



Ivan Koloff is thrown into the ropes by Billy Robinson.

VIII. AUGUST RESULTS

8-18, Richmond, Va.

1. Luke Brown b Krusher Karlson
2. Boyd-Charles b Avenger-Dillon
3. Missouri Mauler b Bobby Williams
4. Thunderbolt Patterson b George Harris
5. Jerry Brisco b Brute Bernard

8-18, Charleston, S.C.

1. Les Thatcher b Bobby Paul
2. David Finlay b Joe Soto
3. Frank Hester b Billy Boy Hines
4. Susan Green b Paula Kaye
5. Royal-McCord b Ole-Gene Anderson

8-18, Asbury Park, N.J.

1. Arnold Skoaland b Paul Figueroa
2. Black Demon b Ben Ortiz
3. The Spoiler b El Olimpico
4. Vicki Williams b Toni Rose
5. Tanaka-Fuji b Monsoon-King, cor.

8-19, Milwaukee, Wisconsin

1. Don Muraco b Big K
2. Rene Goulet b Ramon Torres
3. Bill Robinson b Hans Hermann
4. Ivan Koloff b Wilbur Snyder
5. Dusty Rhodes b Wahoo McDaniel, dq.
6. Bruiser-Crusher b Stevens-Bockwinkel

8-19, Omaha, Nebraska

1. Higo Hamaguchi b Steve Bolus
2. Jerry Miller d Harley Race
3. Stan Pulaski b Buddy Wolfe, dq.
4. Cowboy Ellis b Christopher Colt, dq.

8-19, Victoria, B.C.

1. Bob Demon d John Foley
2. Gil Hayes nc Buck Ramstead
3. Ray Glenn d Eddie Morrow
4. Higuchi-Little Bear b Quinn-Brown

8-19, Lakeland, Florida

1. Smasher Sloan b Scott Casey
2. Dick Slater d Bob Griffin
3. Matsuda-Roop b Webster-Robley
4. Tim Woods b Redbeard
5. Tim Woods won 12-man battle royal

8-19, Hampton Roads, Va.

1. Ronnie Garvin d Matti Suzuki
2. Rock Hunter b Abe Jacobs
3. Boyd-Charles b Thatcher-Fulton
4. Swede Hanson b Nelson Royal
5. Man Mtn. Mike b Frank Morrell
6. Haystacks Calhoun b George Harris
7. Haystacks won 14-man battle royal
8. Thunderbolt Patterson b Gary Hart
9. Jerry Brisco b Rip Hawk

8-19, Detroit (Cobo)

1. Bounty Hunters b Harmon-Zulu
2. Psycho b Hank James
3. Raymond Rougeau b Karl Von Stroheim
4. Bill Miller b Rick O'Toole
5. Dan Miller b Ron Sanders
6. Fabulous Moolah won 8-girl royal
7. Tony Parisi d Mitsu Arakawa
8. Tiger Jeet Singh b The Executioner
9. Fred Curry b Yoshino Sato
10. The Sheik b Tony Marino
11. Bobo Brazil b Pampero Firpo
12. Valentine-Kent-Brooks d Stomper-Justice-Igor Vodik

8-19, San Francisco, Calif.

1. Antonio Rocca b Jack Bence
2. Beauregarde b Haru Sasaki
3. Great Mephisto b Pepper Martin
4. The Samoans b Saito-Collins
5. Paul DeMarco b Pepper Gomez
6. Rocky Johnson b Ernie Ladd
7. Pat Patterson b Lars Anderson

8-19, Hereford, Tex.

1. Salvador Dominguez d Mr. Wrestling
2. Ricki Starr b Dennis Bockwinkel
3. Murdoch-Duncum b War Cloud-Cody
4. Ricky Romero b Karl Von Steiger

8-20, Sherbrooke, Que.

1. Mad Dog Vachon b Bull Gregory
2. Edouard Carpentier b Frenchy Martin
3. Don Leo Jonathan b Joe Dusek
4. Jean Ferre b Danny Babich

8-21, Vancouver, B.C.

1. John Foley b Jim Gilles
2. Ray Glenn b Mohan Singh
3. Eddie Morrow b Bob Demon
4. Higuchi-Savage-Ramstead b Hayes-Quinn-Brown
5. Gene Kiniski b Steven Little Bear

8-21, Fort Worth, Tex.

1. Dory Dixon b Pedro Godoy
2. Tommy Seigler d Joe Blanchard
3. Bearcat Wright b John L. Sullivan
4. Lothario-Lyons b The Alaskans
5. Johnny Valentine won out over Fritz VonErich & Stan Stasiak (3-man elim)

8-21, Orlando, Fla.

1. Tony Garea d Phil Robley
2. Louie Tillet b Taurus
3. Bockwinkel-Stevens b George-Griffin
4. Paul Jones b Hiro Matsuda
5. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt

IX. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-21, Birmingham, Alabama

1. Bearcat Brown d Great Fuji
2. S. Lee-Hultz b Partlow-T. Gilbert
3. K. Sullivan-Thundercloud b White-Lawler
4. Yamamoto-Dromo b Interns

8-21, Tulsa, Oklahoma

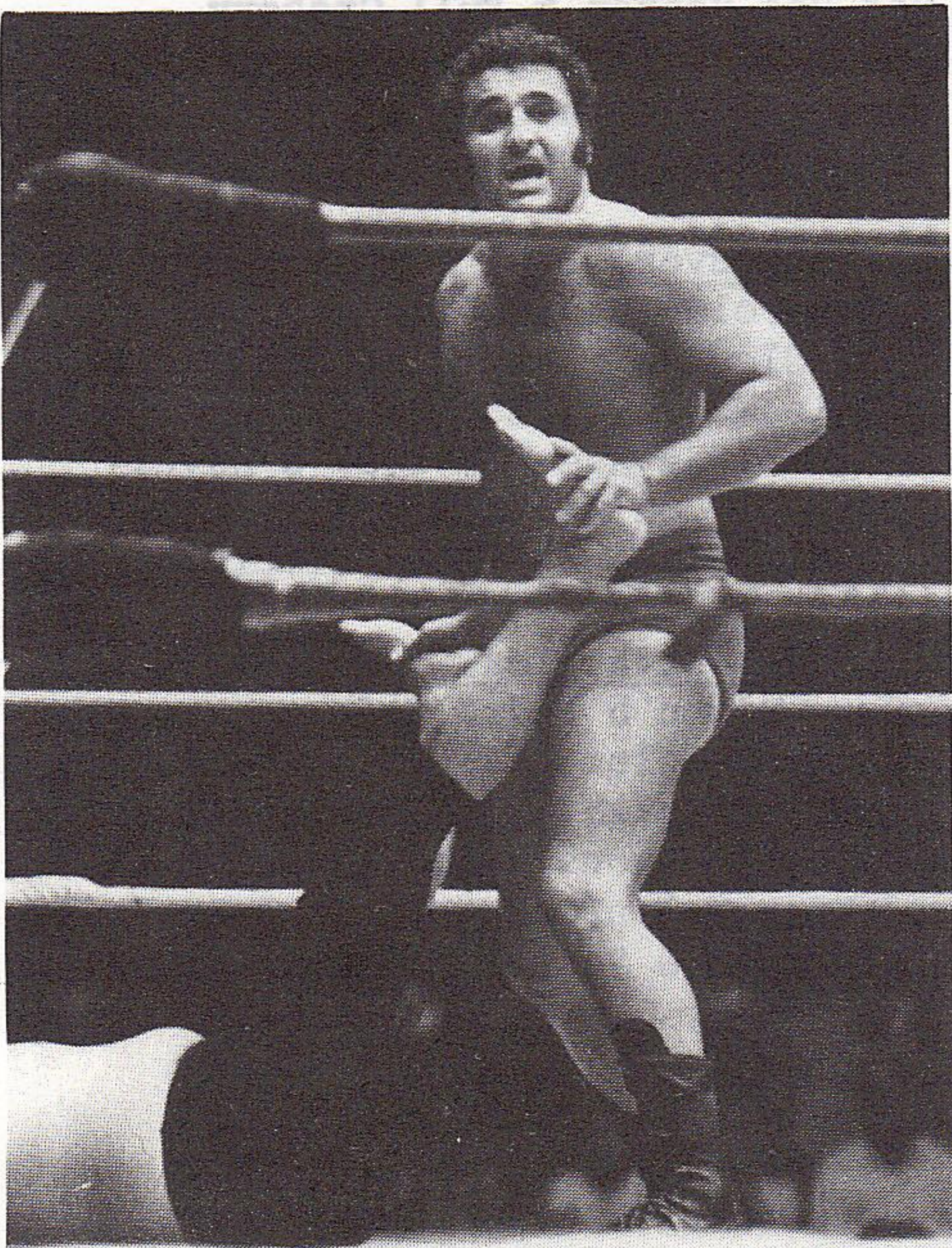
1. Gypsy Joe Rosario b Jerry Goodvoice
2. Gene Lewis d Chuck Bowman
3. Igor Putski b The Mongol
4. Dale Lewis b Ivan Putski
5. Bob Sweetan b Bill Watts, cor.

8-21, Orlando, Florida

1. Tony Garia b Phil Robley
2. Louie Tillet b Taurus
3. Bockwinkel-Stevens b George-Griffin
4. Paul Jones b Hiro Matsuda
5. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt

8-21, Hickory, N.Carolina

1. Billy Becker d Lee Till
2. Norma Gordon d Morgana Morgan
3. Great Bolo b Otis Uptent
4. Texas Menace b Mike Shaw
5. Cooke-Forrest nc The Bolos



Fred Curry

8-22, Halifax, N.S.

1. Tony Roma b Jerry Hall
2. The Beast b Earl Black
3. B. Kay-Burk b F. Sweetan-Serrano
4. Killer Karl Krupp b The Stomper, dq.

8-22, Sioux Falls, S. Dakota

1. Jerry Miller b Higo Hamaguchi
2. Stan Pulaski nc Christopher Colt
3. Dr. X b The Big K
4. Dusty Rhodes b Wahoo McDaniel, dq.
5. Ivan Koloff b Bill Robinson, cor.

8-22, Dallas, Texas

1. Frank Monte b Pedro Godoy
2. Tommy Seigler b John L. Sullivan
3. Jose Lothario b Joe Blanchard
4. Wright-Lyons b Malenko-Stasiak
5. Red Bastien b The Alaskan

8-22, Savannah, Ga.

1. Nick Russo d Jim McKenny
2. Dick Shannon b Mac McFarland
3. Wayne Cowan b Timothy Geohagen
4. Bowman-Turner d Soto-Steinborn
5. Dory Funk Jr. b Ox Baker, dq.

8-22, Tampa, Florida

1. Mike Webster b Mike George
2. Buddy Colt b Louie Tillet
3. Ron Fuller b The Scorpion
4. Matsuda-Orton b Bockwinkel-Stevens
5. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt
6. Eddie Graham b Redbeard

8-22, Scranton, Pa.

1. Arnold Skoaland b Ben Ortiz
2. Joe Nova b Chuck Richards
3. Chuck O'Connor d Sonny King
4. The Spoiler b Gorilla Monsoon, cor.
5. Pedro Morales b Mr. Fuji, cor.
6. The Black Demon b Tomas Marin

8-23, San Antonio, Tex.

1. Dory Dixon b Pedro Godoy
2. Red Lyons b Tommy Seigler
3. Boris Malenko b John L. Sullivan
4. Bastien-Wright b The Alaskans
5. Jose Lothario b Stan Stasiak, dq.

8-23, Miami, Florida

1. Louie Tillet b Phil Robley
2. Tony Garea b Alan Butler
3. Redbeard-Webster b Fuller-Griffin
4. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt
5. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco

X. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-23, Baltimore, Md.

1. El Olimpico b Tomas Marin
2. Mr. Fuji d Sonny King
3. The Spoiler b Chief Strongbow, cor.
4. Pedro Morales b George Steel
5. Ernie Ladd b Professor Tanaka, dq.
6. Christantello-Rose b Williams-Johnson
7. Gorilla Monsoon b Chuck O'Connor, cor.

8-23, Rockford, Illinois

1. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski, cor.
2. Big K b George Gadaski
3. Dr. X b Hans Hermann
4. Muraco-Crusher-McDaniel b Koloff-Hennig-Rhodes

8-24, Denver, Colo.

1. Ramon Torres d Rene Goulet
2. Dr. X b Hans Hermann
3. Dusty Rhodes b Don Muraco
4. Robinson-McDaniel b Bockwinkel-Stevens, dq.

8-24, LeHigh, Pa.

1. El Olimpico b Joe Turco
2. The Spoiler b Joe Nova
3. Sonny King d Mr. Fuji
4. Chief Strongbow b Turo Tanaka, dq.

8-24, Fredericton, N.B.

1. Jerry Hall b Tony Roma
2. The Beast b Earl Black
3. Burk-B. Kay b F. Sweetan-Serrano, dq.
4. Killer Karl Krupp nc The Stomper

8-24, Jacksonville, Fla.

1. Mike Webster b Tony Garea
2. Mike Graham b Phil Robley
3. Matsuda-Griffin b Orton-Taurus
4. Tim Woods b Redbeard
5. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco
6. Eddie Graham b Buddy Colt

8-24, Amarillo, Texas

1. Mr. Wrestling b Sal Domingues
2. Nick Kozak b Masio Koma
3. Terry Funk b Moose Morowski
4. Starr-Hayes b Murdoch-Duncum
5. Ciclon Negro b The Sheik
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Fritz Von Erich, dq.

8-25, OshKosh, Wis.

1. Big K b George Gadaski
2. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski, cor.
3. Wahoo McDaniel b Larry Hennig
4. Crusher b Ivan Koloff, dq.

8-25, Los Angeles, Calif.

1. Pantera Negra b El Espectro
2. Fritz VonGoering b Billy Graham
3. El Rayo Blanco b Bob Christy
4. Shibuya-Saito b Froelich-Mata
5. Mil Mascaras b Ciclon Negro, dq.
6. Ernie Ladd b Ruben Juarez, dq.

8-25, Modesto, Calif.

1. Paul DeMarco b Antonio Rocca
2. The Samoans b Bence-Collins
3. Great Mephisto b Pepper Martin
4. Lars Anderson b Pepper Gomez, cor.

8-25, Oklahoma City, Okla.

1. Chuck Bowman b Gypsy Joe Rosario
2. Dr. X b Danny Hodge
3. The Mongol b Jerry Goodvoice
4. Bill Watts b Dale Lewis

8-25, Peoria, Ill.

1. Hans Hermann b Pedro Zapata
2. Ramon Torres b Raul Guzman
3. Dr. X b Dusty Rhodes, dq.
4. Bockwinkel-Stevens b Robinson-Muraco

8-25, Atlanta, Ga.

1. George Grant b Dick Shannon
2. Rocket Monroe b Mac McFarland
3. Bowman-Turner b Geohagen-James
4. The Avneger d Scandor Akbar
5. Armstrong-Steinborn b Assassins, dq.
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Argentina Apollo

8-25, Richmond, Va.

1. Les Thatcher b Billy Hines
2. Abe Jacobs b Joe Soto
3. Ronnie Garvin b Krusher Karlson
4. Boyd-Charles b Burns-Finlay
5. Brisco-Patterson b Bernard-Mauler, dq.

8-25, Charleston, S.C.

1. Johnny Heidman b Terry Sawyer
2. Charlie Fulton b Angelo Martinelli
3. Frank Hester b Bobby Paul
4. Man Mtn. Mike b George Harris
5. Royal-McCord b Gene-Ole Anderson, dq.

8-25, N. Attleboro, Mass.

1. Chuck O'Connor b Joe Turco, cor.
2. Joe Crugnale b Chuck Richards, dq.
3. Joe Nova d El Olimpico
4. Fuji-Tanaka nc King-Strongbow

XI. AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-25, Quebec City

1. Dino Bravo b Frenchy Martin
2. Gilles Brown b Denis Gauthier
3. Butcher Vachon b Paul LeDuc
4. Len Shelly d Marte Inoue
5. Roberts-Brown d Wiecz-Garcia
6. Baron Von Raschke b Reggie Parks
7. Ferre-Carpentier-Robert b Mulligan-Johnathan-Mongolian
8. Mad Dog Vachon nc Joe LeDuc

8-26, Nanaimo, B.C.

1. John Foley d Mohan Singh
2. Morrow-Ramstead b Demon-Glenn
3. Steven Little Bear b Bulldog Brown, dq.
4. Johnny Quinn b Dean Higuchi, dq.

8-26, Indianapolis, Ind.

1. Jose Martinez b Bob Sabre
2. Mark Manson b Paul Christy
3. Billy Red Cloud b Ben Jarrels
4. Bobby Heenan nc Bobby Bold Eagle
5. Moose Cholak b Ricky Cortez
6. Dillinger-Poffo b Snyder-Rossetani
7. Mulligan-Lanza b Thomas-Crusher, cor.
8. Bruiser b Baron Von Raschke

8-26, Sarasota, Florida

1. Phil Robley b Mike George
2. Bob Griffin b Taurus
3. Bob Orton d Hiro Matsuda
4. Eddie-Mike Graham b Redbeard-Webster
5. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco, dq.
6. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt, dq.

8-26, Philadelphia, Pa.

1. Chuck O'Connor b Tomas Marin
2. Black Demon b Joe Nova
3. Rose-Christantello b Johnson-Williams
4. Pedro Morales b The Spoiler, cor.
5. El Olimpico b Joe Turco
6. Strongbow-King b Tanaka-Fuji, dq.

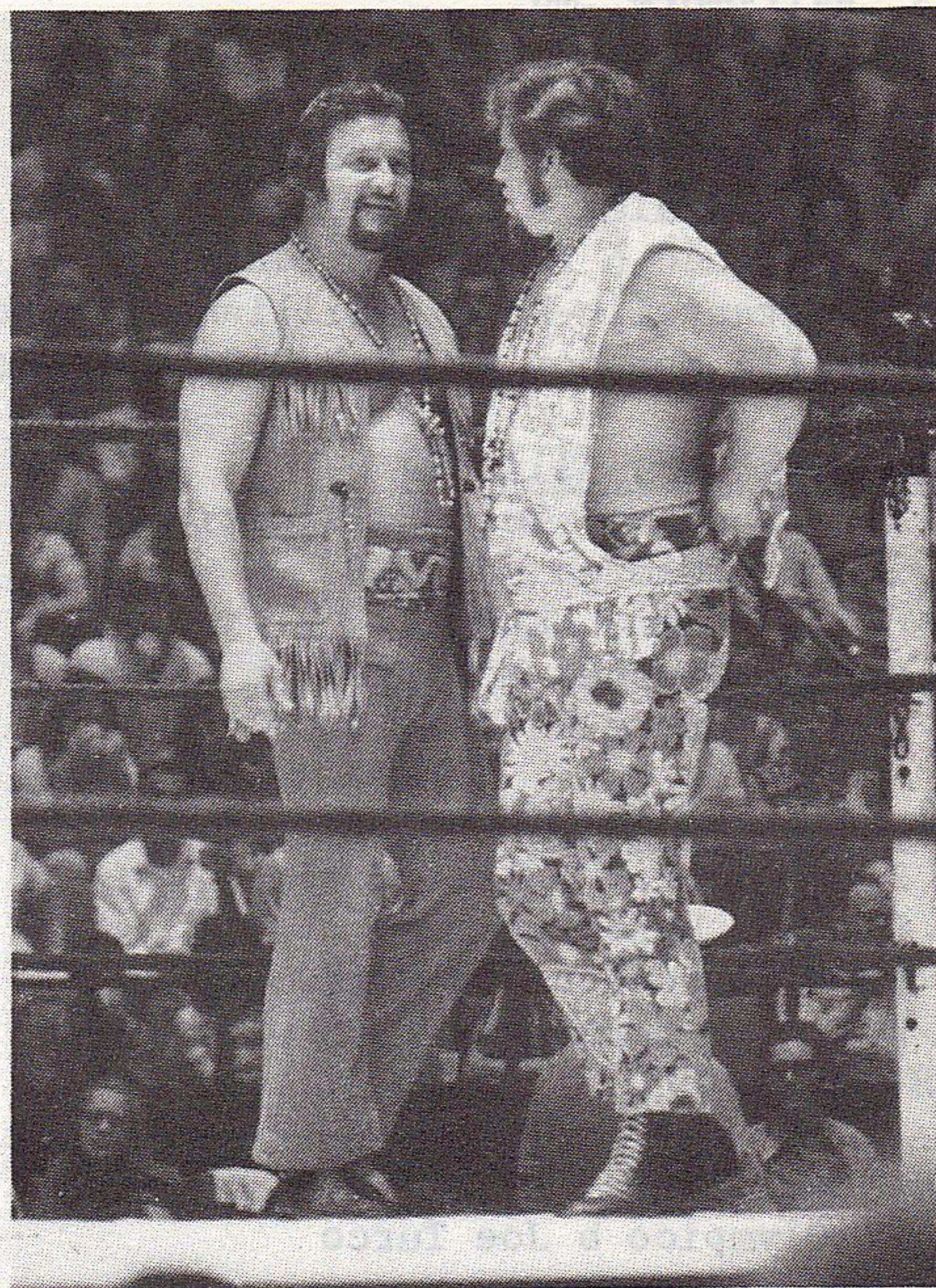
8-26 Hereford, Tex.

1. Sal Domingues b Masio Koma
2. Moose Morowski nc Mr. Wrestling
3. Ricki Starr b Dick Murdoch, dq.
4. Ricky Romero b Bobby Duncum

8-27, St. Paul, Minn.

1. Rene Goulet d Ramon Torres
2. Kay Noble b Donna Lemke
3. Hans Hermann b Bull Bullinski
4. Ivan Koloff b Don Muraco
5. Ray Stevens b Dr. X, dq.
6. Robinson-Bastien-McDaniel b Hennig-Rhodes-Bockwinkel

The Love Brothers



8-27, Toronto, Ont.

1. Igor-Marino b D. Miller-J. Christie
2. Layton-Robertson d Kent-Cannon
3. Justice-McKenzie b Mulkovich-Brutus
4. Love Bros. b Calhoun-Kalmikoff
5. Carlos Rocha b Mike Loren
6. The Beast b Lee Henning
7. Tiger Jeet Singh b Kurt Von Stroheim
8. Tony Parisi b Tim Brooks
9. Pampero Firpo b Masked Executioner
10. Johnny Valentine b Masked Marvel
11. Grable-Patterson b Moolah-Downs
12. The Sheik b Magnificent Zulu

8-28, Fort Worth, Tex.

1. Red Lyons b John L. Sullivan
2. Jose Lothario b Tommy Seigler
3. Boris Malenko b Pedro Godoy
4. Wright-Dixon b The Alaskans
5. Johnny Valentine b Red Bastien

8-28, Greenville, S. C.

1. Frank Hester b Charlie Fulton
2. Abe Jacobs b Johnny Heidman
3. Dennis McCord b Joe Soto
4. Swede Hanson b Jim Dillon
5. T-Bolt Patterson b Gary Hart
6. Rip Hawk b Jerry Brisco

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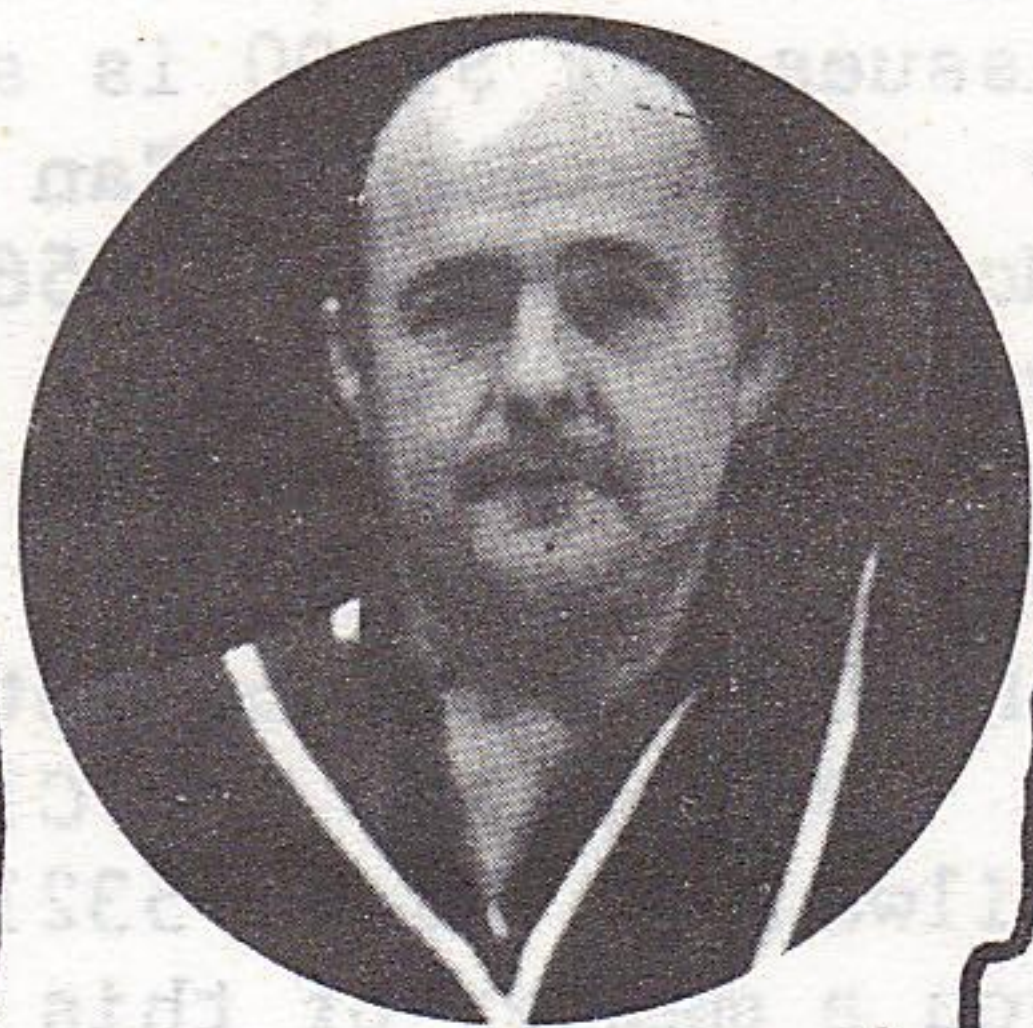
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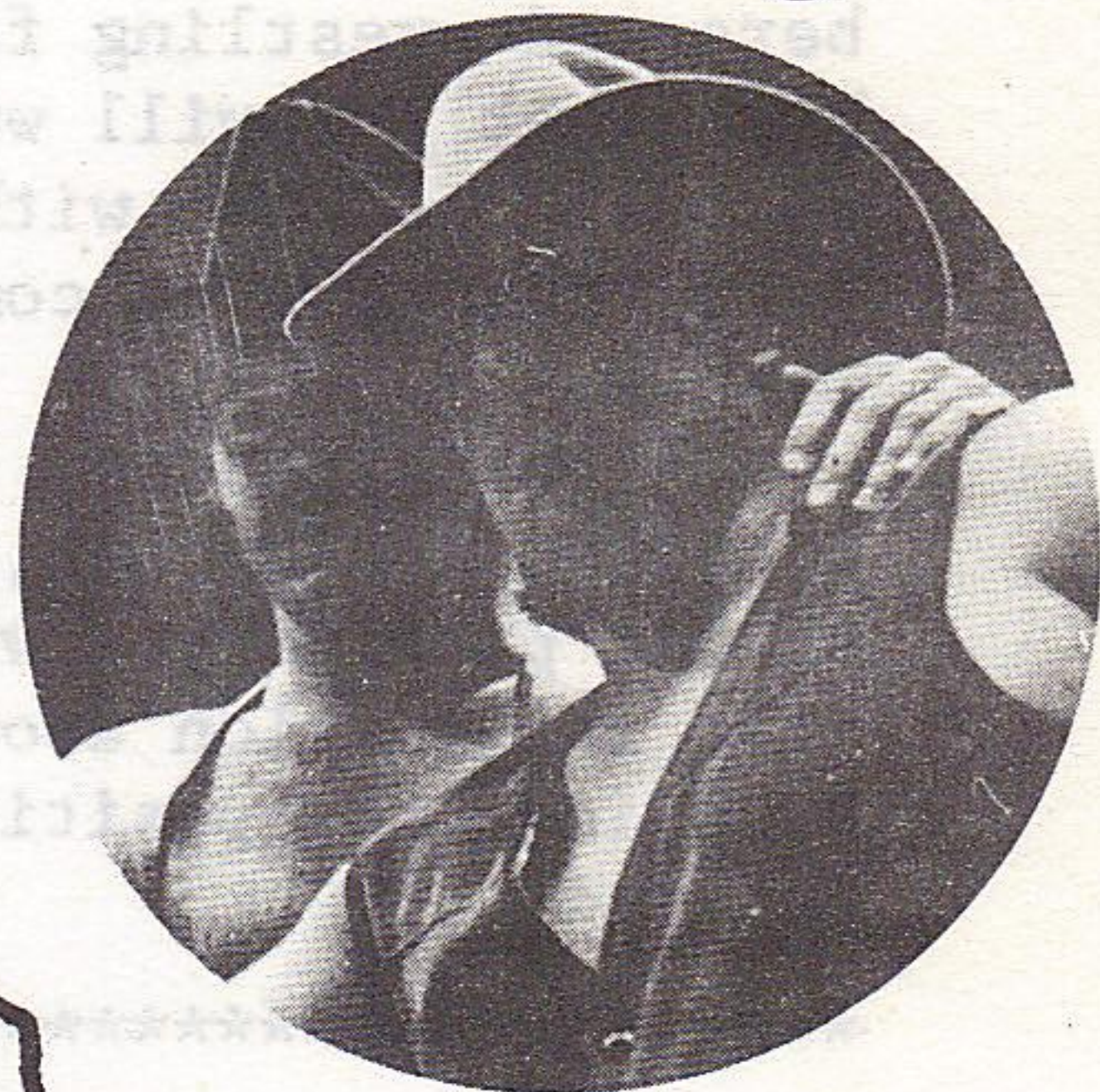
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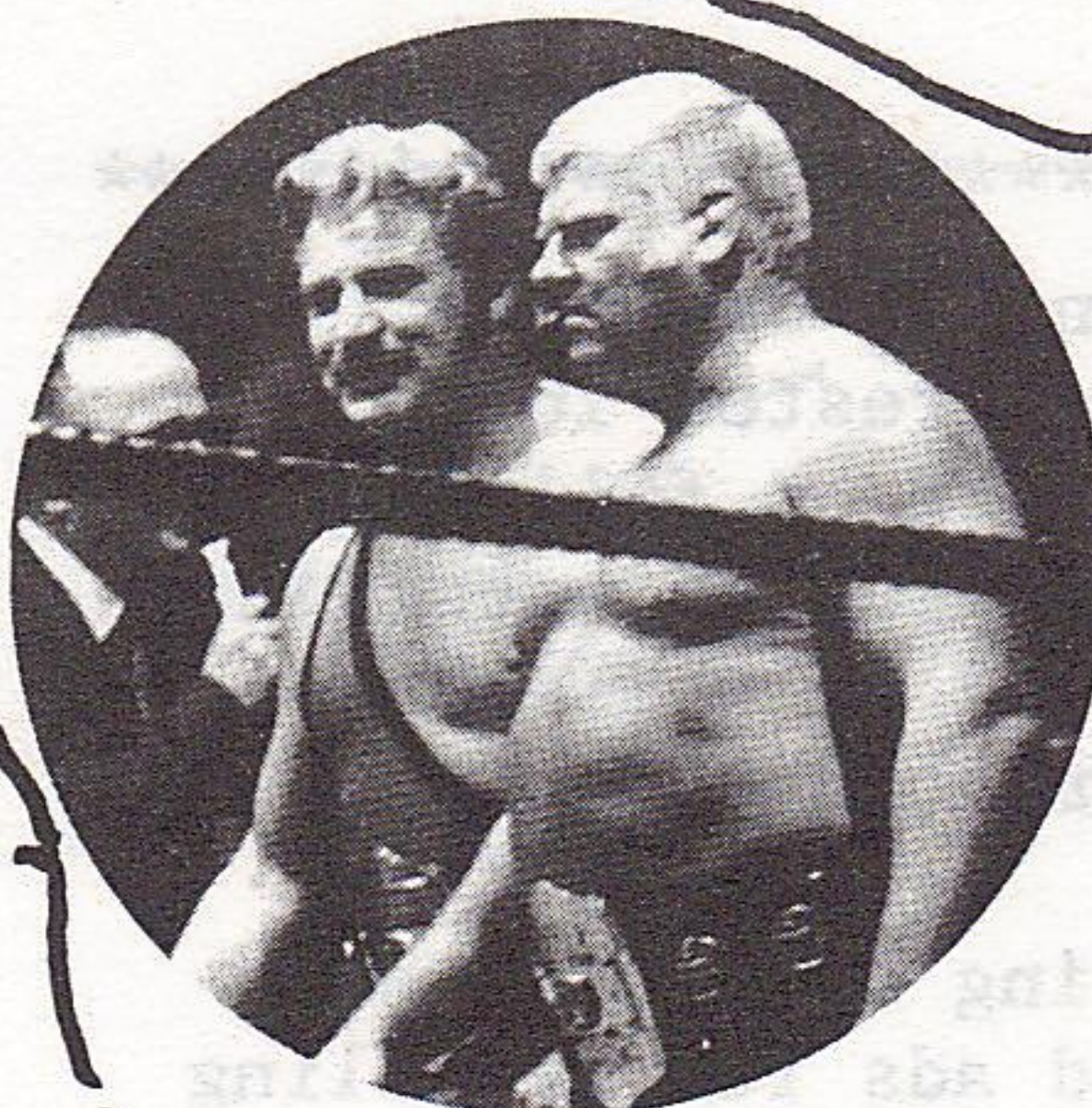
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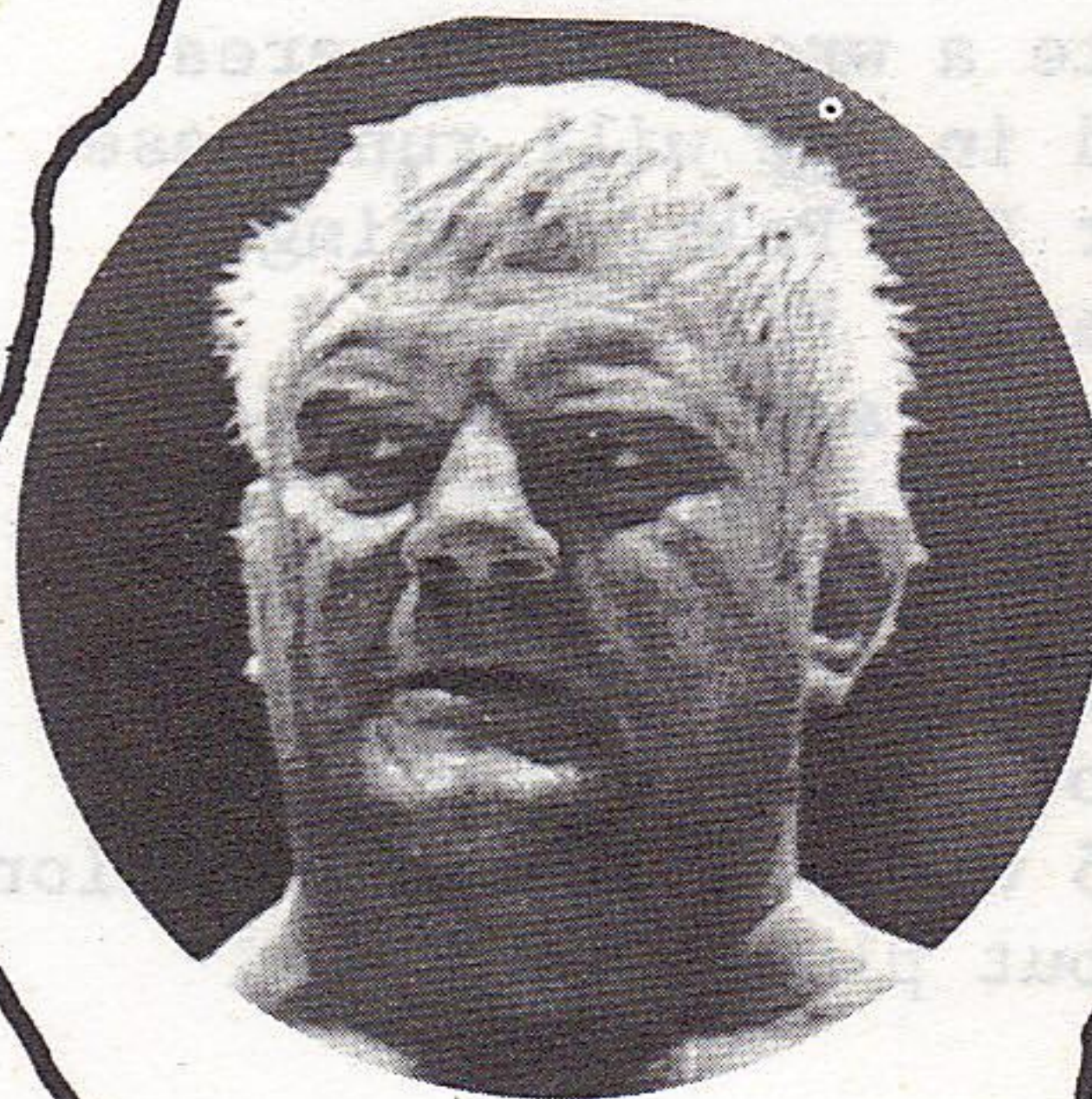
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XII AUGUST WRESTLING RESULTS

8-28, Quebec City

1. Bertrand-Andre Proulx b LeFebvre-Vigneault
2. Eddie Auger b Hans Schmidt, dq
3. The Mummy b Johnny Ringo
4. Tony Baillargeon b Chin Lee
5. Fidel-Raoul Castillo b Daniel-Lionel Robert
6. Abdullah the Butcher b Gino Brito
7. Johnny-Jacques & Raymond Rougeau b Von Hess-Von Scholtz-Creatchman,

8-28, Atlantic City

1. El Olimpico b Joe Turco
2. Chuck O'Connor b Joe Nova
3. Monsoon-King b Spoiler-Black Demon
4. Moolah-Downs b Grable-Patterson
5. Strongbow-Morales b Tanaka-Fuji,

8-28, Tulsa

1. Treach Phillips b Jerry Goodvoice
2. Johnny Eagles d The Mongol
3. Jimmy Valiant b Bobby Hart
4. Donna Lemke b Kay Noble
5. Ivan Putski b Dale Lewis
6. Dr. X b Danny Hodge

8-28, Vancouver

1. John Foley d Bob Demon
2. Eddie Morrow b Ray Glenn
3. Gil Hayes b Buck Ramstead
4. Higuchi-Little Bear b Brown-Kinisk
5. Dutch Savage b John Quinn

8-28, Orlando

1. Corsica Jean b Scott Casey
2. Bob Griffin b Smasher Sloan
3. Bob Griffin b Timmy Geohagen
4. Paul Jones b Louie Tillet
5. Brisco-M.Graham b Robley-Webster

8-28, Hickory

1. Johnny Red Cloud b Bill Gunter
2. Red Rogers d Billy Becker
3. Lee Till b The Hangman, dq.
4. Texas Menace d Johnny Gordon
5. Menace & Bolos b Cooke-Forest-Gord

8-28, Birmingham

1. Laine-Austin d Hultz-Blitzer
2. K. Sullivan-Brown-Thundercloud b White-Bass-Lawler
3. The Interns b Dromo-Yamamoto

8-29, Stockton

1. Great Mephisto b Antonio Rocca
2. The Samoans b Bence-Sasaki
3. Anderson-DeMarco b Johnson-Gomez

XIII. AUGUST-SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

8-29, Dallas, Tex.

1. Tommy Seigler d John L. Sullivan
2. Dory Dixon b Pedro Godoy
3. Boris Malenko b Jose Lothario
4. Stan Stasiak nc Bearcat Wright
5. Lyons-Bastien b the Alaskans

8-29, Halifax, N.S.

1. Earl Black b Tony Roma
2. The Beast b Jerry Hall
3. Bobby Kay b Don Serrano
4. Leo Burk b Fred Sweetan
5. The Stomper b Karl Krupp, cor.

8-29, Davenport, Iowa

1. Bull Bullinski d Rene Goulet
2. Don Muraco b Big K
3. Dr. X b Larry Hennig
4. Wahoo McDaniel b Hans Hermann
5. Bill Robinson b Ivan Koloff, dq.

8-29, Tampa, Fla.

1. Bob Griffin b Smasher Sloan
2. Ron Fuller b Mike George
3. Buddy Colt b Timmy Geohagen
4. Bob Orton b Hiro Matsuda
5. Eddie-Mike Graham b Redbeard-Webster
6. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco, dq.

8-30, Miami, Fla.

1. Smasher Sloan d Tony Garea
2. Phil Robley b Mike George
3. Bob Griffin b Alan Butler
4. Redbeard-Webster b M.Graham-Matsuda
5. Jack Brisco b Buddy Colt, dq.
6. Paul Jones d Tim Woods

8-30, San Antonio, Texas

1. John L. Sullivan b Pedro Godoy
2. The Alaskan b Red Lyons
3. Red Bastien b Mike Paidousis
4. Bearcat Wright b Boris Malenko
5. Jose Lothario b Stan Stasiak

3-30, Des Moines, Iowa

1. Thornton-Bolus b Yokouchi-Fuji
2. Bill Howard d Bobby Whitlock
3. Danny Little Bear b Juan Sebastian
4. Harley Race b Cowboy Bob Ellis
5. Atlas-Jones b Kirby-Angus, dq.

8-30, Leamington, Ont.

1. Rachel DuBois b Beverly Shade
2. Pat-Mike Kelly b Swayze-Eric the Red
3. Mulligan-Dillinger b Beast-Wolfman
4. Vic Rossetani b Baron Von Raschke, dq.

3-31, Fredericton, N.B.

1. Earl Black b Tony Roma
2. The Beast b Jerry Hall
3. Bobby Kay b Don Serrano
4. Leo Burk b Freddie Sweetan
5. Killer Karl Krupp nc The Stomper

8-31, Salem, Ore.

1. Tony Borne b Tito Montez
2. Ricky Hunter b Rick Renaldo, dq.
3. Dutch Savage b Apache Gringo
4. Lonnie Mayne b The Skull

8-31, New Orleans, La.

1. Dennis Stamp b Tarzan Tyler, dq.
2. Don Duffy d Silento Rodriguez
3. Dale Lewis b Ivan Putski
4. Hones-Mantell b Hart-Parente

8-31, Jacksonville, Fla.

1. Tony Garea b Alan Butler
2. Phil Robley b Mike George
3. Bob Orton b Bob Griffin
4. Buddy Colt b Louie Tillet
5. Brisco-Mike and Eddie Graham b Shane-Redbeard-Webster
6. Paul Jones d Tim Woods

9-1, Modesto, Calif.

1. Antonio Rocca b Jack Bence
2. The Samoans b Collins-Sasaki
3. Lars Anderson b Pepper Gomez
4. Rocky Johnson b Paul DeMarco

9-1, Lynchburg

1. Angelo Martinelli b Krusher Karlson
2. Johnny Reb b Billy the Kid
3. George Harris b Billy Hines
4. Royal-McCord b Hart-Hanson

9-1, San Antonio, Tex.

1. Dory Dixon d John L. Sullivan
2. The Alaskans b Wright-Godoy
3. Red Bastien b Tommy Seigler
4. Red Lyons b Stan Stasiak, cor.
5. Johnny Valentine b Jose Lothario

9-1, Tallahassee, Fla.

1. Corsica Jean d Smasher Sloan
2. Bob Griffin b Mike George
3. Garibaldi-Matsuda b Colt-Robley
4. Tim Woods b Bob Orton

XIV. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-1, Pittsburgh, Pa.

1. Larry Zbyszko b Frank Durso
2. Luis Martinez b Joe Abby
3. Frank Holtz d Tony Altomare
4. Baron Scicluna d Vic Rivera
5. Johnny DeFazio b Ramon Lopez
6. Joh-Don Fargo b Denucci-Brito
7. Bruno Sammartino b Waldo VonErich

9-2, Calgary, Alberta

1. Pirie-Brutus b Super Hawk-Butcher
2. Joe Tomasso b Sonny Rogers
3. Bob Pringle b Pepe Villa, dq.
4. Kendo Nagasaki b Len Hurst
5. Dan Kroffat b Sugi Sito
6. Geoff Portz b Tor Kamata

9-2, Victoria

1. Gil Hayes d Eddie Morrow
2. John Foley d Mohan Singh
3. Buck Ramstead b Ray Glenn
4. Higuchi-Morrow-Little Bear b
Quinn-Brown-Hayes

9-2, Portland, Ore.

1. Tito Montez d Apache Gringo
2. Sabu Singh b Rick Renaldo
3. Ricky Hunter b Jack Bence
4. Ricky Hunter d Haru Sasaki
5. Borne-Skull b Savage-Mayne

9-2, Detroit (Cobo)

1. Parisi-Zulu-Elmore-Rougeaus b
Bounty Hunters-B. Miller-Love Bros.
2. Psycho b Bob Harmon
3. Dan Miller b Hans Schmidt
4. S. Green-James b P. Kaye-Tokyo Tom
5. Dewey Robertson b Mike Loren, dq.
6. McKenzie-Calhoun b Arakawa-Sato
7. Igor b Johnny Valentine, cor.
8. Sheik-Firpo b Layton-Brazil, dq.
9. Tony Marino b Nikita Mulkovich
10. Justice-Stomper b Brooks-Kent, dq.

9-2, Lakeland

1. Matsuda-Griffin b Orton-Robley
2. George McCreary b Bob Orton Jr.
3. Smasher Sloan b Scott Casey
4. Mike George b The Scorpion
5. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt, dq.

9-2, Lincoln, Neb.

1. Higo Hamaguchi b Bobby Whitlock
2. Jerry Miller b Bill Howard
3. Bob Ellis b Buddy Wolfe
4. Stan Pulaski b Christopher Colt, dq.
5. Cowboy Ellis b Ronald Colt

9-2, Madison Square Garden, N.Y.

1. Chuck O'Connor b Joe Nova
2. El Olimpico b Joe Turco
3. Bruno Sammartino b George Steele
4. Sonny King b The Black Demon
5. Pedro Morales b Ernie Ladd
6. Fuji-Tanaka b Monsoon-Soto
7. The Spoiler d Chief Strongbow

9-2, Roanoke, Va.

1. Bobby Williams b Bobby Paul
2. Charlie Fulton b Joe Soto
3. Klondike Bill b George Harris
4. Boyd-Charles b Dillon-Big Luke
5. Royal-McCord b Hunter-Suzuki

9-2, Hereford, Tex.

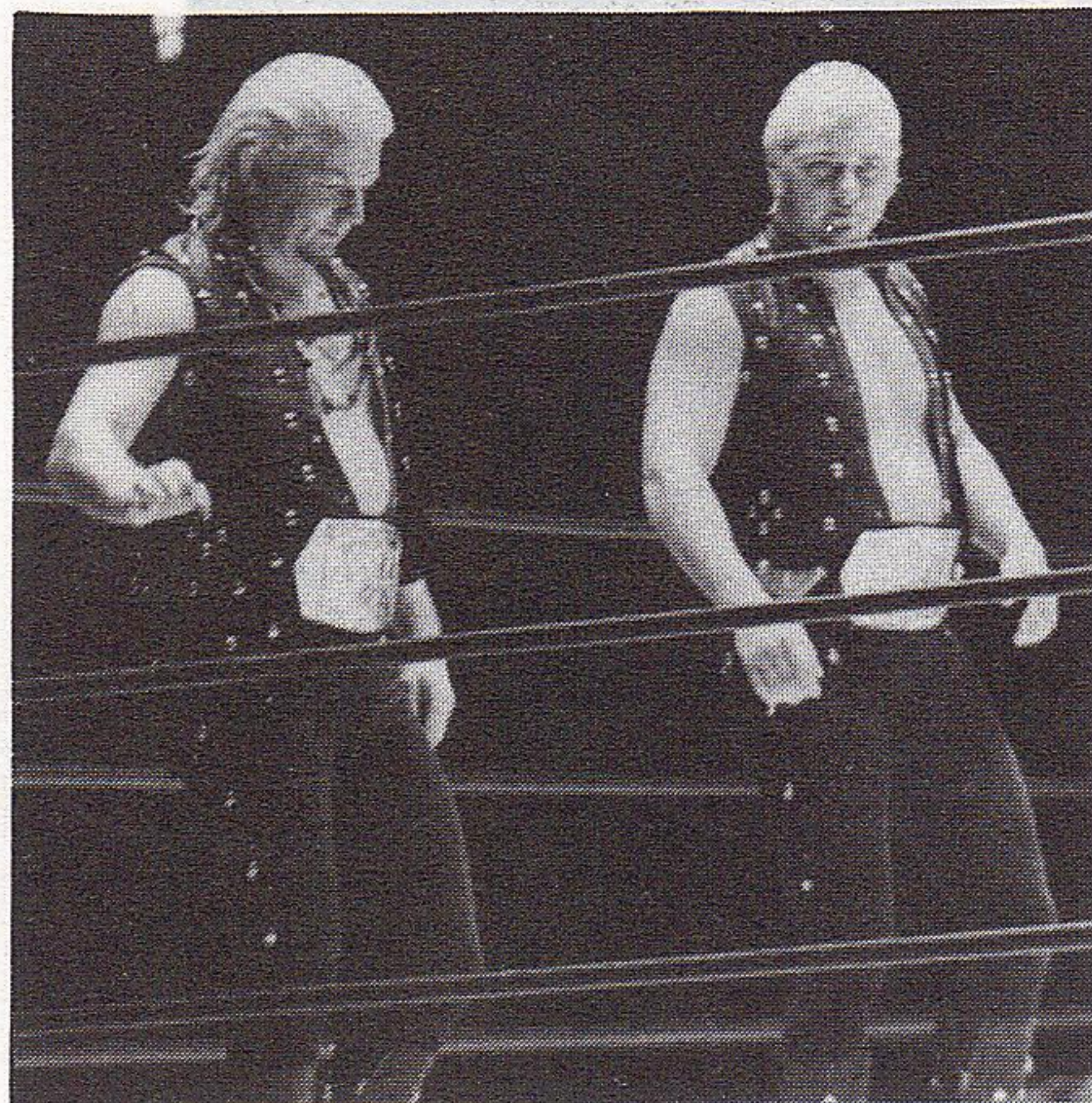
1. Karl Von Steiger d Suni War Cloud
2. Moose Morowski b Nick Kozak
3. Pak Song-Romero b Murdoch-Duncum

9-4, Fort Worth, Tex.

1. Jose Lothario b Dory Dixon
2. Bearcat Wright b Pedro Godoy
3. Red B stien b John L. Sullivan
4. Malenko-Monte b Lothario-Seigler
5. Dory Funk Jr. b Johnny Valentine

9-4, Hickory, Tex.

1. Texas Menace b Mike Shaw
2. Texas Menace b Tiger Johnson
3. Johnny Gordon b Texas Menace, dq.
4. Johnny Gordon b Lee Till
5. Johnny Gordon b Bolo #1, cor.
6. Rock Riddle b Johnny Gordon nc



Formerly calling themselves the Hells Angels, the Duprees are now billing themselves as Ronald & Christopher Colt.

XV. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-4, Birmingham, Ala.

1. George Hultz b Tony Sanders
2. Don-Jim Wright b T. Gilbert-S. Monroe
3. K. Sullivan-Laine d Lawler-White
4. Rossi-Yamamoto nc Interns

9-4, Orlando, Fla.

1. Scott Casey b Bobby Lane
2. Bob Orton Jr. b George McCreary
3. Mike Webster b Bob Griffin
4. Robley-Evans b George-Garea
5. Jack Brisco b Paul Jones, dq.

9-4, Tulsa, Okla.

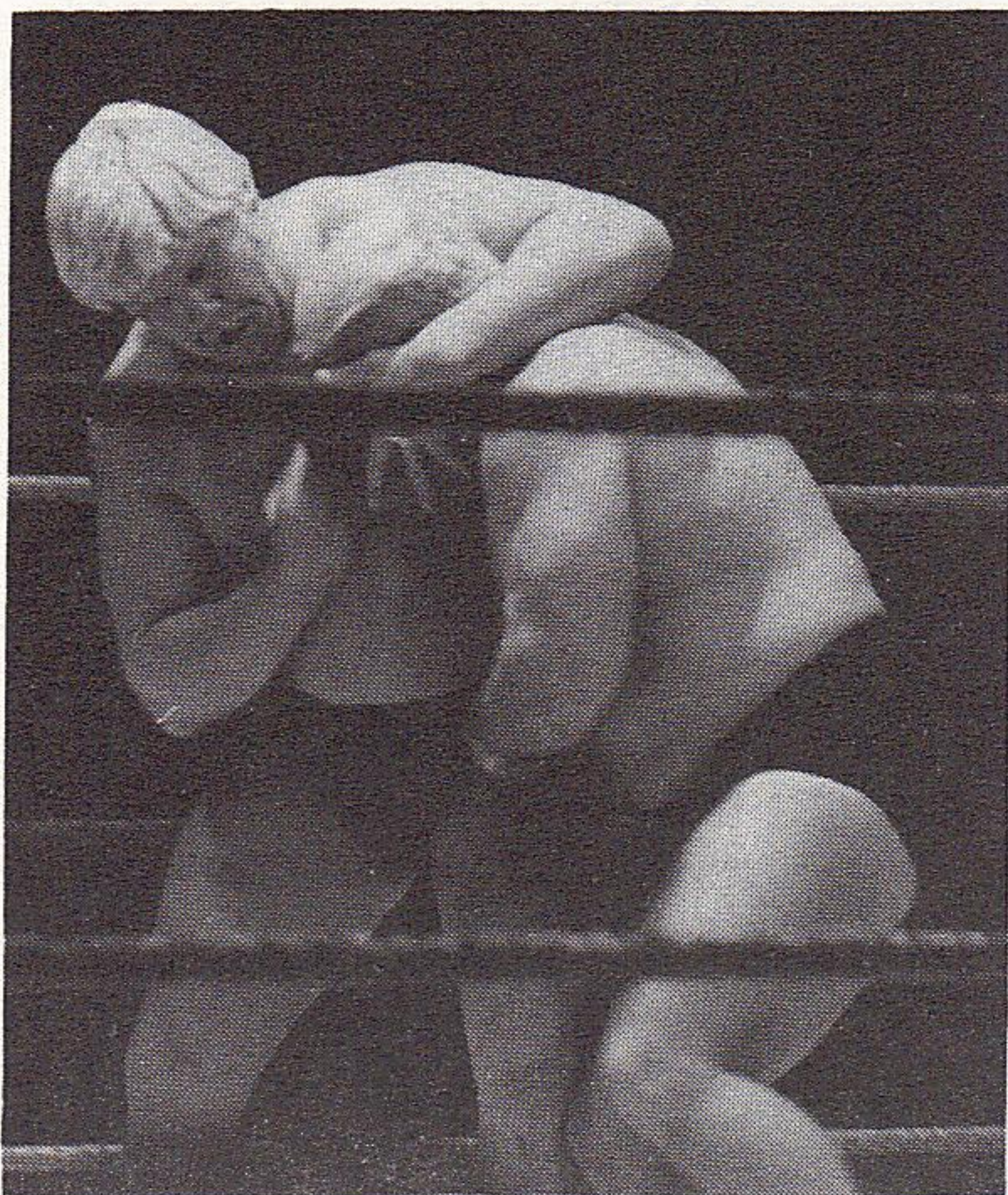
1. The Mongol b Jerry Goodvoice
2. Dennis Stamp b George Strickland
3. Jimmy Valiant b Don Duffy
4. Danny Hodge nc Bob Sweetan
5. Dr. X-Lewis b Ivan-Igor Putski

9-5, Dallas, Tex.

1. Dory Dixon b John L. Sullivan
2. Red Lyons b Joe Blanchard
3. Red Bastien b Pedro Godoy
4. Bearcat Wright b Boris Malenko
5. Alaskans b Lothario-Seigler

9-5, Tampa, Fla.

1. Mike Webster b Bob Griffin
2. Garea-Watson d Evans-Waldek
3. Robert Fuller b Phil Robley
4. Bob Orton b Hiro Matsuda
5. Paul Jones b Bobo Brazil, dq.
6. Buddy Colt b Tim Woods



"Luscious" Lars Anderson works over the Crusher.

9-5, Raleigh, N.C.

1. Billy Hines b Terry Sawyer
2. Matti Suzuki b Jim Dillon
3. Sandy Scott b Frank Hester
4. Royal-McCord b J. Soto-Karlson
5. Jacobs-B. Johnson b Harris-Billy Kid
6. Mike-Ed Graham b Hunter-Shane
7. Dory Funk Jr. b Jack Brisco, dq.

9-5, Kensington, P.E.I.

1. Paul Peller b The Kangaroo
2. Cuban Assassin b The Viking, dq.
3. Emile Dupre nc Bull Curry
4. Sweet Daddy Siki b Pat O'Brien

9-5, Halifax, N.S.

1. Earl Black b Jerry Hall
2. The Beast b Don Serrano
3. B. Kay-Burk b Sweetan-DuBois
4. Karl Krupp b The Stomper

9-6, Evansville, Ind.

1. Darling Dagmar and Unidentified gal b Diamond Lil & Donna Christantello
2. Bold Eagle-Wiki Wiki b Fuji-Kyle
3. Donovan-Martinez b T. Gilbert-Monroe

9-6, Miami, Fla.

1. Tony Garea d Bob Orton Jr.
2. Jack Evans b Mike George
3. Bob Orton b Bob Griffin
4. Bobo Brazil b Redbeard
5. Eddie-Mike Graham b Shane-Webster
6. Jack Brisco b Buddy Colt

9-6, Sacramento, Calif.

1. Reno Tufoli b Kubla Khan
2. Tio Taylor b Antonio Rocca
3. Pepper Martin b Ripper Collins
4. DeMarco-Anderson-Great Mephisto b Johnson-Patterson-Gomez

9-7, El Monte, Calif.

1. Yoshino Sato b Raul Mata
2. Ruben Juarez b Rocky Montero, cor.
3. Saito=Sato b Graham-Pantera Negra
4. Ernie Ladd b Earl Maynard, dq.

9-7, Jacksonville, Fla.

1. Bob Griffin b Mike George
2. Jack Evans b Tony Garea
3. Hiro Matsuda b Redbeard
4. Bobo Brazil b Bob Orton
5. Paul Jones b Jack Brisco
6. Corsica Jean b Smasher Sloan
7. Buddy Colt b Tim Woods

XVI. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-7, Montreal

1. Dino Bravo b Frenchy Martin
2. Frank Valois b Reggie Parks
3. Giles Poison b Jackie Wiecez
4. Two Rivers-War Eagle b Inoue-Gregory
5. Black Jack Mulligan nc Mongolian
6. Paul-Joe LeDuc b Roberts-Brown
7. Killer Kowalski b Rico Garcia
8. Carpentier-Robert Jr. b Raschke-Vachon
9. Jean Ferre b Don Leo Jonathan, dq.

9-7, Amarillo, Tex.

1. Mr. Wrestling b Masio Koma
2. Duncum-Murdoch b Romero-War Cloud
3. Karl Von Steiger d Terry Funk
4. Hayes-Starr b D. Bockwinkel-Morowski
5. Pak Song b Ciclon Negro, dq.

9-7, Salem, Ore.

1. Sabu Singh b Rick Renaldo
2. Ricky Hunter b Haru Sasaki, dq.
3. Apache Gringo b John Foley
4. Savage-Mayne b Borne-Skull

9-7, Fredericton

1. Jerry Hall be Carlos Montez
2. The Beast b Earl Black
3. Burk-B. Kay b Sweetan-DuBois
4. Karl Krupp b The Stomper

9-8, St. Louis, Mo.

1. Omar Atlas b Yasu Fuji
2. Les Thornton b Moose Cholak, dq.
3. O'Connor-Ellis-Stomper b Raschke-Race-Pak Song
4. Black Jack Lanza d Rufus Jones
5. Bruiser-Bolus b Kirby
6. Gene Kiniski b Jack Brisco

9-8, Houston, Tex.

1. Red Lyons b John L. Sullivan
2. Nick Kozak d Dory Dixon
3. Jose Lothario b Frank Monte
4. Bearcat Wright b Mike York
5. Red Bastien b Stan Stasiak, dq.
6. Bearcat Wright won 10-man royal
7. Wahoo McDaniel b Johnny Valentine

9-8, Richmond, Va.

1. Jim Dillon b Charlie Fulton
2. Frank Hester b Abe Jacobs
3. Sandy Parker b Lilly Thomas
4. Boyd-Charles b S. Scott-Thatcher
5. Ronnie Garvin b Swede Hanson, dq.
6. Art Neilson b Krusher Karlson
7. T-Bolt Patterson b Rip Hawk
8. Jerry Brisco b Gary Hart
9. Johnny Weaver b Dory Funk Jr.

9-8, Lynchburg

1. Frank Morrell b Bobby Paul
2. Dave Finlay b Johnny Heidman
3. George Harris b Angelo Martinelli
4. Billy Hines b Joe Soto
5. Big Luke-Klondike b Mauler-Bernard

9-8, Los Angeles, Calif.

1. Raul Mata d El Rayo Blanco
2. LaPantera Negra b Billy Graham, dq
3. Tahiti Kid and Farmer Boy Jerome b Sky Low Low & Little Brutus
4. Juarez-Froelich b Saito-Sato
5. Ernie Ladd nc Mil Mascaras

9-8, Charleston, S.C.

1. Rock Hunter b Terry Sawyer
2. Matti Suzuki b Bob Burns
3. Bobo Johnson & Johnny Reb b Little Bruiser & Billy the Kid
4. Royal-McCord b Gene-Ole Anderson,

9-8, Atlanta, Ga.

1. Jesse James b Wayne Cowan
2. Bearcat Brown b Rocket Monroe
3. Scandor Akbar d The Avenger
4. Apollo-Man Mtn. Mike b Bowman-Turner
5. Bob Armstrong b Nick Bockwinkel
6. The Assassins b Dory Sr.-Terry Funk

9-8, Tallahassee, Fla.

1. Bob Orton Jr. b George McCreary
2. Bob Griffin b Smasher Sloan
3. Golden-Fuller b Evans-Webster
4. Mike George b Alan Butler
5. Paul Jones b Tim Woods, dq.

9-8, No. Attleboro, Mass.

1. Chuck O'Connor b Joe Turco
2. Sonny King b Black Demon
3. Professor Tanaka b Joe Nova
4. Mr. Fuji d El Olimpico
5. Chief Strongbow nc The Spoiler

9-8, Denver, Colo.

1. Rene Goulet b Jack Pesek
2. Mad Dog Vachon b Hans Hermann
3. Muraco-Torres-Gomez b Hennig-Rhodes-Koloff
4. Dr. X b Ray Stevens

9-9, Portland, Ore.

1. Tony Borne b John Foley
2. Ricky Hunter d Haru Sasaki
3. Dutch Savage b Ricky Renaldo
4. Sabu Singh b The Skull, dq.
5. Lonnie Mayne b Apache Gringo
6. Ricky Hunter won 10-man battle royal

XVII. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-9, Boston, Mass.

1. Black Jack Slade b Joe Crugnale, cor.
2. Arnold Skoaland b Joe Turco
3. Vince Pommetti b Joe Nova
4. Brisco-Monsoon b Tanaka-Fuji, dq.
5. El Olimpico b Black Demon
6. The Spoiler nc Pedro Morales
7. Chief Strongbow b George Steele, cor.
8. Sonny King b Chuck O'Connor

9-9, St. Petersburg, Fla.

1. Bob Orton Jr. b Mike George
2. Bobby Shane b Bob Griffin
3. Bonnie Watson b Ella Waldek
4. Fuller-Golden b Robley-Colt
5. Bobo Brazil b Redbeard
6. Paul Jones b Ron Fuller
7. Jimmy Golden won 20-man battle royal

9-9, Hereford

1. Mr. Wrestling & Suni War Cloud b Hans Mueller & Dennis Bockwinkel
2. Moose Morowski b Jerry Kozak
3. Ricky Romero b Ciclon Negro

9-9, Calgary

1. Nick Pacchiano b Bob Harmes
2. Pirie-Brutus b Pringle-S.Rogers
3. Joe Tomasso b Frank Butcher
4. Kamata-Sito b Hurst-Super Hawk
5. Kendo Nagasaki b Pepe Villa
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6. Dan Kroffat d Geoff Portz

9-9, Detroit (Olympia)

1. Bob Sabre d Gil Gurrero
2. Patty Patterson b Mary Jane Mull
3. Bobby Heenan d Bobby Bold Eagle
4. Pullins-Christy-Thomas b Poffo-Dillinger-Manson
5. Baron Von Raschke b Billy Red Cloud, dq.
6. Jim Alexi b Ben Jarrels
7. Lanza-Mulligan b Bruiser-Crusher

9-11, For Worth

1. Ron Dupree d John L. Sullivan
2. Johnny Rico b Pedro Godoy
3. Bearcat Wright b Dick Murdoch
4. Chris Colt b Tommy Seigler
5. Bastien-Lyons d Alaskan-Stasiak

9-11, Tulsa

1. Jerry Miller b Leo Seitz
2. Jimmy Valiant b The Mongol
3. Lewis-Dr. X b Mantell-Putski
4. Danny Hodge b Bob Sweetan

9-11, Long Beach, Calif.

1. LaPantera Negra d Yoshino Sato
2. El Rayo Blanco b El Espectro
3. Billy Graham b Raul Mata
4. John Birch b Fritz Von Boering

9-11, Birmingham, Ala.

1. Thunder Cloud-Drake-Laine-Dagmar b White-Lawler-Bass-Diamond Lil
2. Monroe-T. Gilbert b Ron-Don Wright
3. Dr. Ken Ramey & The Interns b Yamamoto-Len Rossi-Kevin Sullivan

9-11, Charlotte

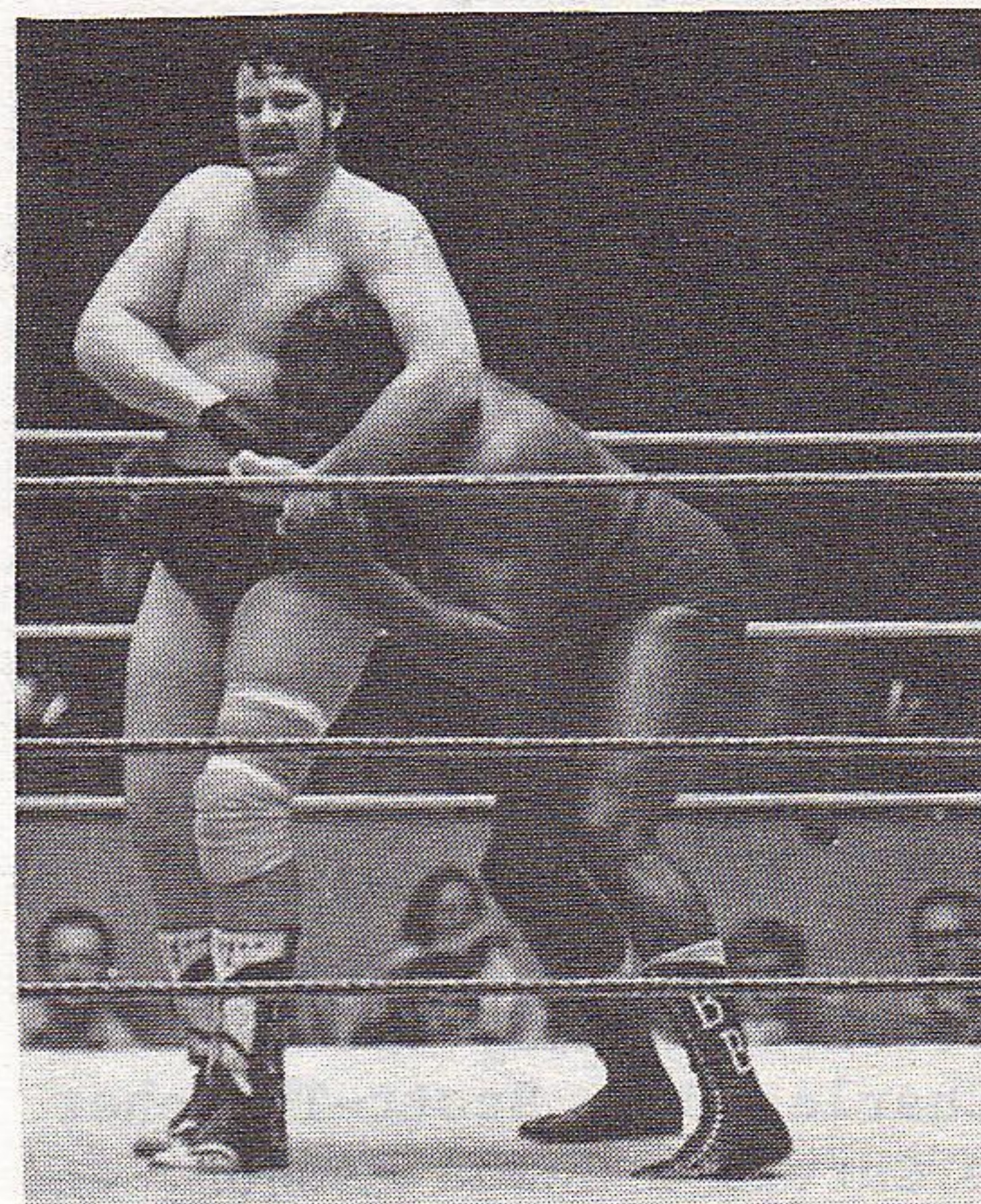
1. George Hagen b Steve Hagen
2. Dennis McCord b Krusher Karlson
3. Klondike Bill b Rock Hunter
4. Fabulous Moolah b Joyce Grable
5. Nelson Royal b Matti Suzuki
6. Boyd-Charles b Thatcher-S. Scott

9-11, Orlando, Fla.

1. Mike George b Bob Orton Jr.
2. Johnny Walker b Chuck Riley
3. Bonnie Watson b Ella Waldek
4. Bob Orton b Tony Garea
5. Golden-Fuller b Robley-Evans
6. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt, dq.

9-11, Hickory

1. Red Rogers b Johnny Gunter, cor.
2. Dr. X b Curtis Lackey
3. Doug Hawkins d Rock Riddle
4. Riddle-Texas Menace b Shaw-Johnson



Black Jack Mulligan holds Bobo Brazil in a headlock.

XVIII. SEPTEMBER RESULTS

9-12, Scranton, Pa.

1. Joe Turco b Joe Nova
2. Chuck O'Connor b Arnold Skoaland
3. Black Demon d El Olympico
4. Fuji-Tanaka nc King-Monsoon
5. Pedro Morales b Chuck O'Connor

9-12, Davenport

1. Joe Scarpello b Hans Hermann
2. Bullinski-Cholak b Big K-Poffo
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3. Nick Bockwinkel b Don Muraco
4. Dr. X b Ray Stevens

9-12, Halifax

1. Mike DuBois b Carlos Montez
2. McGuire Twins b Ringo-Hall-Montez
3. B. Kay-Burk b Sweetan-Black, dq.
4. The Beast b Killer Karl Krupp

9-12, Dallas

1. Frank Monte b Tommy Seigler
2. Chris Colt b Pedro Godoy
3. Bronco Lubich d Bearcat Wright
4. Stan Stasiak b Red Bastien
5. Lothario-Dixon b Sullivan-Murdoch

9-12, Tampa

1. Johnny Walker b Mike George
2. Woods-Matsuda b Orton-Evans
3. Golden-Fuller b Robley-Colt
4. Redbeard-Webster b Woods-Matsuda
5. Redbeard-Webster d Golden-Fuller
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Paul Jones

9-12, Raleigh

1. Frank Morrell b Bobby Williams
2. Frank Hester b George Harris
3. Joe Soto b Charlie Fulton
4. Hawk-Hanson b Thatcher-Scott
5. Neilson-Weaver b Mauler-Bernard, dq.

9-12, Columbia

1. Ronnie Garvin b Billy Hines
2. Hunter-Suzuki b Hagen-Finlay
3. Penny Banner b Donna Christian
4. Gene-Ole Anderson b Royal-McCord
5. T-Bolt Patterson b Gary Hart

9-13, Miami

1. Bonnie Watson b Ella Waldek
2. Jack Evans b Tony Garea
3. Bob Griffin b Chuck Riley
4. Ron Fuller b Dick Murdoch
5. Tillet-Walker b Colt-Robley
6. Dory Funk Jr. b Paul Jones

9-13, Des Moines

1. Omar Atlas b Yasu Fuji
2. The Destroyer b The Viking, cor.
3. Raschke-Little Bear b Kirby-Race, d
4. Rufus Jones b Black Angus-Friend

9-13, San Antonio

1. Ron Dupree b Pedro Godoy
2. Chris Colt b Johnny Rico
3. Red Lyons b John L. Sullivan
4. Jose Lothario b Dory Dixon
5. Bearcat Wright nc Stan Stasiak

9-13, White Plains, N.Y.

1. Black Jack Slade d Joe Turco
2. El Olympico b Black Demon
3. Chuck O'Connor b Joe Nova
4. Chief Strongbow nc The Spoiler
5. Tanaka-Fuji b Monsoon-King

9-13, San Jose

1. Beauregarde b Antonio Rocca
2. Reno Tufuli b Jack Bence
3. Johnson-Gomez b Mephisto-Collins
4. Pat Patterson b Lars Anderson

9-13, Nashville, Tenn.

1. Buck Forrest b Rock Riddle
2. Dagmar-Lopez b Lil-Santos
3. Ox the Ripper & Roy Lee Welch d Don Greene & Steve Kyle
4. Cora Combs won 7-girl battle royal
5. Len & Joey Rossi-Kevin Sullivan nc Lawler-White-Hultz

9-13, Evansville

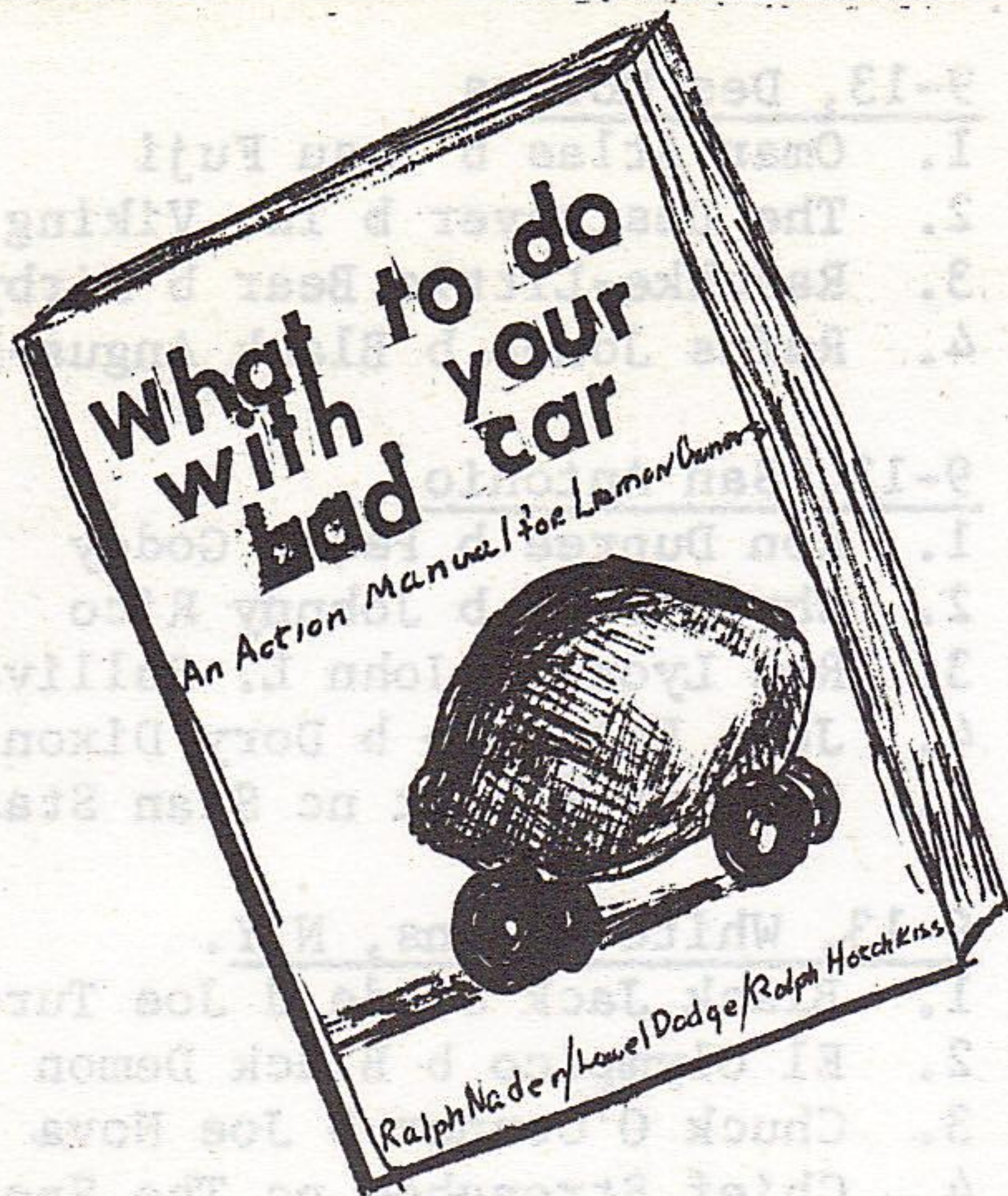
1. Chief Bold Eagle b Jimmy Kent
2. Donovan-Martinez b Marlin-WikiWiki
3. Jackie Fargo b Al Greene, cor.

9-14, Fredericton

1. Mike DuBois b Carlos Montez
2. McGuire Twins b Hall-Ringo-Montez
3. B. Kay-Burk b Sweetan-Black, dq.
4. The Beast b Killer Karl Krupp

9-14, Winnipeg, Man.

1. Gino Rollow b George Gadaski
2. Ramon Torres b Big K
3. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski, cor.
4. George Gordienko b Butcher Vachon
5. Crusher-Muraco-McDaniel b Koloff-Hennig-Rhodes
6. Dr. X b Ray Stevens



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XIX. SEPTEMBER RESULTS

9-14, Amarillo

1. Mr. Wrestling d Bill Cody
2. Ricki Starr b Masio Koma
3. Nick Kozak b Bobby Duncum
4. Mueller-Von Steiger-Morowski b Hayes-Pak Song-Romero
5. Terry Funk b Ciclon Negro, dq.

9-14, Jacksonville

1. Johnny Walker b Jack Evans
2. Jim Golden b Chuck Riley
3. Robert Fuller b Black Bart
4. Buddy Colt b Bob Griffin
5. Paul Jones b Hiro Matsuda
6. Shane-Murdoch b Ed-Mike Graham, dq.
7. Dory Funk Jr. b Tim Woods

9-14, Norfolk

1. Steve Hagen d Billy Hines
2. The Menace b Bob Burns
3. Gene Anderson b David Finlay
4. Suzuki-Hunter b Thatcher-McCord
5. Klondike Bill b Ole Anderson

9-15, Richmond

1. Les Thatcher b Johnny Heidman
2. The Menace b Angelo Martinelli
3. Neilson-Weaver b Boyd-Charles, dq.
4. Patterson-Garvin b Ole-Gene Anderson

9-15, Lynchburg

1. Krusher Karlson b Bobby Burns
2. Dave Finlay b Charlie Fulton
3. Frank Hester b Bobby Paul
4. Dillon-Big Luke b Hunter-Suzuki
5. Billy Hines b George Harris, dq.

9-15, Charleston

1. Frank Morrell b Terry Sawyer
2. Klondike Bill b Joe Soto
3. Fabulous Moolah b Joyce Grable
4. Sandy Scott b Gary Hart
5. Hawk-Hanson b Royal-McCord

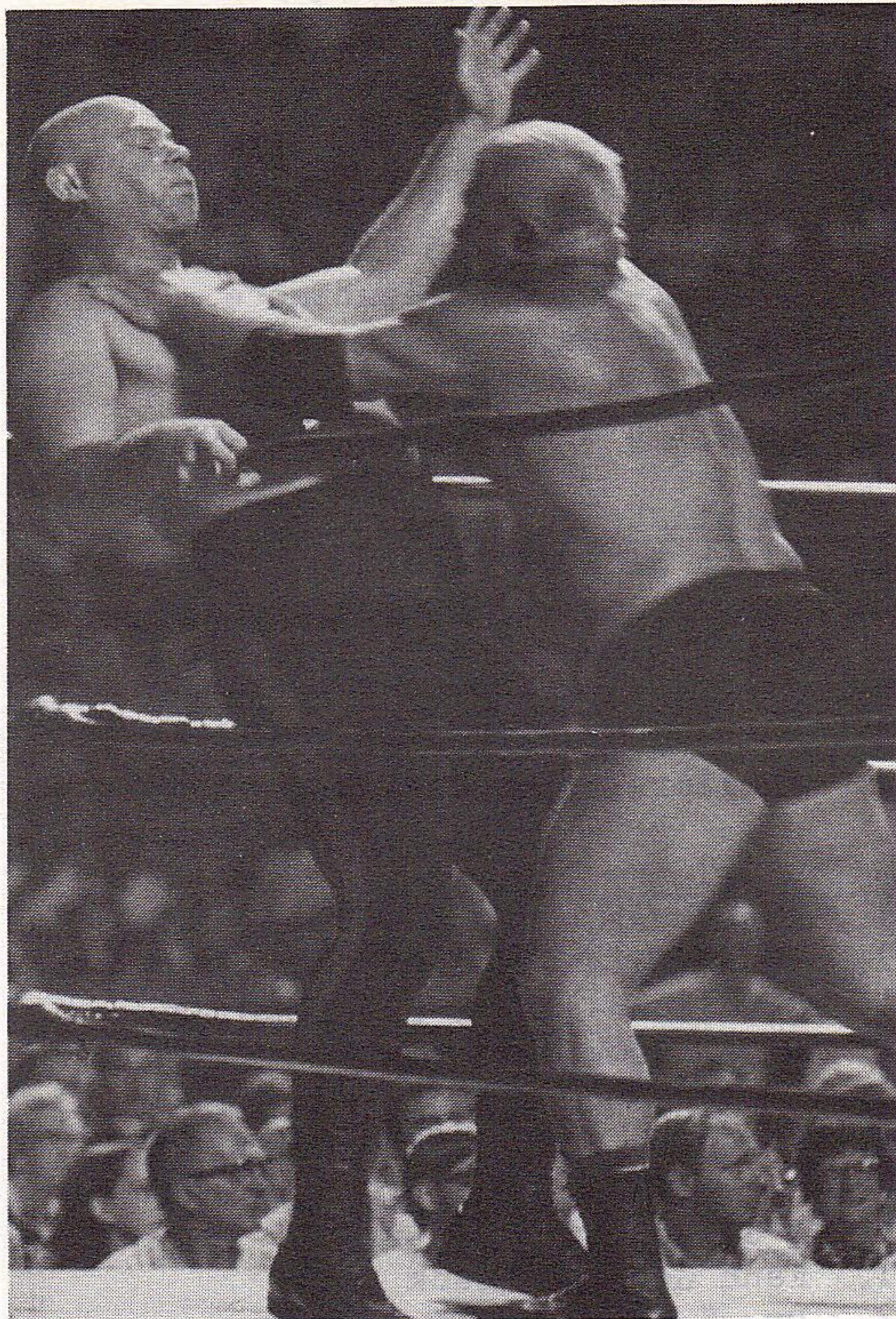
9-15, Tallahassee

1. Bonnie Watson b Ella Waldek
2. Bob Griffin b Chuck Riley
3. Johnny Walker b Phil Robley
4. Golden-Fuller b Murdoch-Orton
5. Dory Funk Jr. b Buddy Colt

9-16, Akron

1. Luis Martinez b Eric the Red
2. Abdullah the Butcher b White Owl
3. Scicluna-Executioner b Martinez-Lil Abner Osborne
4. Don-John Fargo b DeNucci-Rivera

The incomparable DICK THE BRUISER hammers Baron Von Raschke into the corner.



9-16, Indianapolis

1. Mary Jane Mull b Paula Steele
2. Bobby Bold Eagle b Red Dupre
3. Prince Pullins b Tom DeMarco
4. The Wolfman b Bob Sabre
5. Poffo-Dillinger b Cholak-Snyder
6. Billy Red Cloud b The Beast
7. Bruiser-Crusher-Little Bruiser b Lanza-Mulligan-Heenan
8. Seaman Art Thomas nc Baron Raschke

9-16, Melbourne, Australia

1. King Curtis Iaukea b Big Bad John
2. Wadi-Tourell b Schroeder-Nossi
3. Mark Lewin b Killer Karl Kox, dq.
4. Bulldog Brower d Spyros Arion

9-16, Victoria

1. Mohan Singh b Ray Steele, dq.
2. Gil Hayes d Duncan McTavish
3. Quinn-Brown b Ramstead-Morrow
4. Gene Kiniski b Steven Little Bear

XX. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-16, Detroit (Cobo)

1. Loren-Elmore-Lucille Dupree b Bounty Hunters-Tanya West
2. The Psycho b Nikita Mulkovich
3. Magnificent Zulu b Dr. X
4. Bill Miller b Hank James
5. Dan Miller b Karl Von Stroheim
6. Stomper-Justice b Arakawa-Tokyo Tom
7. Kangaroos b Brito-R.Rougeau
8. Student-Brooks-Valentine d McKenzie-Haystacks-Brazil
9. The Sheik b Tony Marino
10. Igor Vodik nc Pampero Firpo

9-16, Philadelphia

1. Black Jack Slade b Joe Nova
2. Manuel Soto b Chuck Richards
3. Chuck O'Connor d El Olimpico
4. Gorilla Monsoon b Black Demon
5. Morales-Strongbow-King b Spoiler-Tanake-Fuji

9-16, Calgary

1. Len Hurst b Frank Butcher
2. Pepe Villa b Sonny Rogers
3. Gordienko-Ruhl b Pirie-Harmes
4. Super Hawk b Joe Tomasso, dq.
5. Kamata-Sito b Kroffat-Pringle
6. Kendo Nagasaki nc Geoff Portz

9-17, Green Bay

1. Rene Goulet b Jack Pesek
2. Dr. X b Big K
3. Ivan Koloff b Ramon Torres
4. Dusty Rhodes b Art Thomas
5. McDaniel-Crusher b Stevens-Bockwinkel, dq.

9-18, Birmingham

1. Lawler-White d Hall-Ox the Ripper
2. Martinez-Donovan b Laine-Bold Eagle
3. Interns b Lucas-L. Rossi, dq.

9-18, Orlando

1. Mike Webster b Mike George
2. Sputnik Monroe b Scott Casey
3. Redbeard-Shane b Griffin-Graham
4. Johnny Walker b Phil Robley
5. Jones-Murdoch b Golden-Fuller
6. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt

9-18, Fort Worth

1. Ron Dupree b Pedro Godoy
2. Chris Colt b Dory Dixon
3. Bobby Duncum b Johnny Rico
4. Lothario-Lyons b The Alaskans
5. Stan Stasiak b Wahoo McDaniel

9-18, Tulsa

1. Suni War Cloud d Jerry Miller
2. Tom Jones b Gene Lewis
3. Ivan Putski b Dale Lewis
4. T. Garvin-Meyers b Parente-Hart

9-18, Charlotte

1. The Menace b Bob Burns
2. Dennis McCord b Frank Morrell
3. Gene Anderson b Jim Dillon
4. Charles-Boyd b Neilson-Weaver, dq.
5. Ole Anderson b Nelson Royal

9-18, Hickory

1. Red Rogers b Bill Gunter
2. Norma Gordon b Morgana Morgan
3. Cowboy Thomas (midget)-Murry b Little Zorro (midget)-Doug Hawkins
4. Texas Menace b Curtis Lackey
5. Joe-Pete Wilson b Shaw-Till, dq.

9-19, Tampa

1. Johnny Walker b Chuck Riley
2. Norvel Austin b Scott Casey
3. Bobby Shane b T-Bolt Patterson, cor.
4. Jones-Murdoch b Fuller-Golden
5. Redbeard-Webster b Jones-Murdoch
6. Fuller-Golden b Redbeard-Webster
7. Fuller-Golden b Jones-Murdoch
8. Tim Woods b Buddy Colt

9-19, Dallas

1. Chris Colt b John L. Sullivan
2. Lothario-Bastien b Godoy-R. Dupre
3. Bearcat Wright b The Alaskan
4. Wahoo McDaniel d Bobby Duncum
5. Fritz Von Erich b Stan Stasiak

9-19, Halifax

1. Bobby Kay d Michael Dubois
2. Ron Thompson b Carlos Montez
3. Leo Burk b Johnny Ringo
4. Sweetan0Black b McGuire Twins
5. Karl Krupp b The Beast

9-19, Granville, Ill.

1. Rene Goulet d Ramon Torres
2. Ivan Koloff b Bull Bullinski
3. Moose Cholak b Dusty Rhodes, dq.

9-20, San Antonio

1. Bobby Duncum b Johnny Rico
2. Bearcat Wright b Pedro Godoy
3. Chris Colt b Mark Starr
4. Jose Lothario b Ron Dupre
5. Red Lyons b Stan Stasiak, dq.

9-20, Honolulu, Hawaii

1. Sam Steamboat b Mr. X, dq.
2. Jimmy Snuka (Kealoha) b Ray Kamaka
3. Fred Curry b John Quinn, dq.
4. Shohei Baba nc The Sheik
5. Bockwinkel-Stevens nc Morales-McDaniel
6. Edmund Francis b Fred Blassie

9-20, Sacramento

1. Rene Tufoli b Jack Bence
2. Tio Taylor b Ripper Collins
3. Great Mephisto b Beauregarde
4. Johnson-Tahiti Kid-Farmer Jerome b Anderson-Sky Low Low-Little Brutus
5. Pat Patterson b Lars Anderson

9-20, Nashville

1. Lopez-Oxthe Ripper b Fuji-Blitzer
2. Lucas-Hall b D. Greene-Kyle, dq.
3. Lawler-White-Hultz b Joey Rossi-Len Ross-Kevin Sullivan

9-20, Evansville

1. Frank Martinez b Jay Clintlock
2. T. Gilbert-WikiWiki b Donovan-Martinez
3. Jackie Fargo b Al Greene

9-20, Miami

1. Mike Webster b Bob Griffin
2. Sputnik Monroe b Mike George
3. Bob Orton Jr. b Jack Evans
4. Joe Nova b Scott Casey
5. Mike Graham b Bobby Shane
6. Woods-Walker-Ron Fuller b Colt-Robley-Murdoch

9-20, Rockford

1. Rene Goulet b Bull Bullinski, cor.
2. Ramon Torres b Big K
3. Don Muraco b Ivan Koloff, dq.
4. Dr. X b Larry Hennig
5. The Crusher b Dusty Rhodes

9-21, Norfolk

1. George Harris b Bobby Paul
2. Johnny Heidman b Bob Burns
3. Joe Soto b David Finlay
4. Big Luke-Klondike b Morrell-Grabmir
5. McCord-Weaver b Hawk-Hanson

9-21, Fredericton

1. Bobby Kay b Mike DuBois, dq.
2. Ron Thompson b Carlos Montez
3. Leo Burk b Johnny Ringo
4. F. Sweetan-Black b McGuire Twins
5. Killer Karl Krupp b The Beast

9-21, Jacksonville

1. Norvel Austin b Scott Casey
2. Jim Golden nc Sputnik Monroe
3. Mike Graham b Phil Robley
4. Robert Fuller b Mike Webster
5. Bonnie Watson b Ella Waldek
6. Colt-Murdoch b Woods-Walker
7. Eddie Graham b Bobby Shane, dq.

9-21, Saskatoon

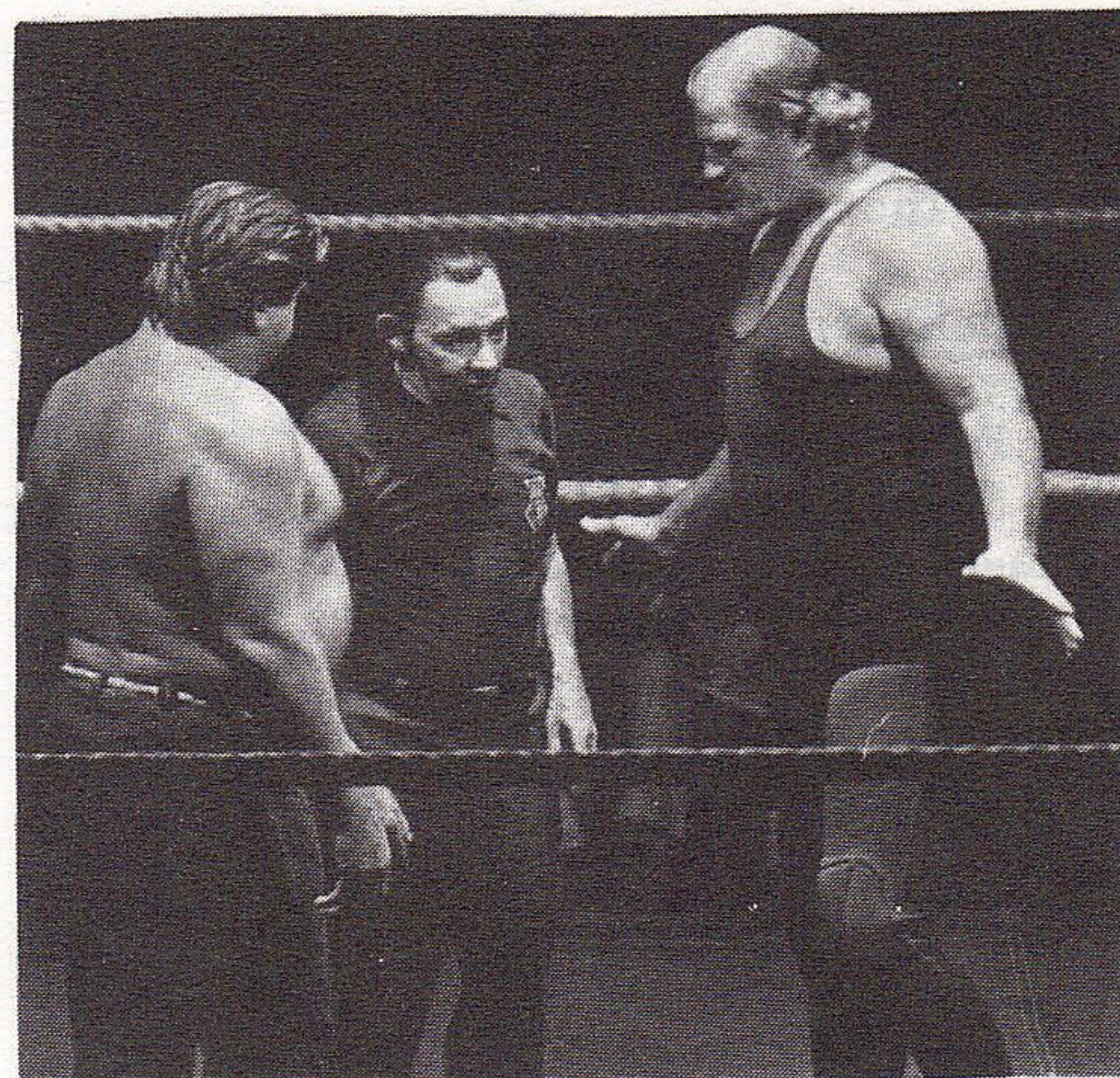
1. Sonny Rogers b Bob Pirie, dq.
2. Dave Ruhl b Beautiful Brutus
3. Kroffat-Hurst-Pringle b Kamata-Sito-Villa
4. Kendo Nagasaki nc Super Hawk

9-21, El Monte, Calif.

1. John Birch b The Vigilante
2. Jack Brisco b Jack Armstrong
3. Earl Maynard b Bengali
4. Shibuya-Saito b Maynard-Graham

9-22, Tallahassee

1. Bob Griffin b Black Bart
2. Mike Webster b Scott Casey
3. Jack Welch b Chuck Riley
4. Golden-Fuller b Murdoch-Shane
5. Buddy Colt d Johnny Walker



Referee Bill Finfer gives pre-bout instructions to Hans Hermann and Bullinski

XXII. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-22, Denver

1. Wahoo McDaniel b Dusty Rhodes
2. Lani Kealoha b Ivan Koloff
3. Ramon Torres b Higo Hamaguchi
4. Dr. X-Crusher b Bockwinkel-Stevens, dq.

9-22, Toledo

1. Lou Klein b Chuck Richards
2. J. B. Psycho b Tom Reeseman
3. Haystacks Calhoun b Jess Ortega, dq.
4. The Stomper b Mitsu Arakawa, dq.
5. Pampero Firpo b Ben Justice
6. Tim Brooks b Tex McKenzie, dq.
7. Igor Vodik b Tokyo Tom

9-22, Los Angeles

1. Jan Madrid b El Espectro
2. El Rayo Blanco d Rocky Montero
3. Eric Froelich b Fritz Von Goering
4. Jack Brisco b Billy Graham
5. Negra-Rivera b Shibuya-Saito, dq.
6. Ruben Juarez b Ernie Ladd

9-22, St. Louis

1. Bolus-Etchison b Sebastian-D. Miller
2. Betty Niccoli b Belle Starr
3. The Stomper b Baron Von Raschke
4. B. Miller-Schmidt d Ellis-O'Connor
5. Rufus Jones b Black Jack Lanza
6. Harley Race b Dick the Bruiser

9-22, St. Joseph, Mo.

1. The Destroyer b The Viking, cor.
2. Bob Geigel b Yasu Fuji
3. Les Thornton b Chati Yokouchi
4. Bill Howard d Bobby Whitlock
5. Omar Atlas b Roger Kirby, dq.
6. Atlas-Thornton b Kirby-Angus

9-22, Lynchburg

1. Bobby Burns b Johnny Heidman
2. Joe Furr b Bobby Paul
3. Joe Soto b David Finlay
4. Gene-Ole Anderson-Menace b
R. Garvin-Dillon-Sandy Scott

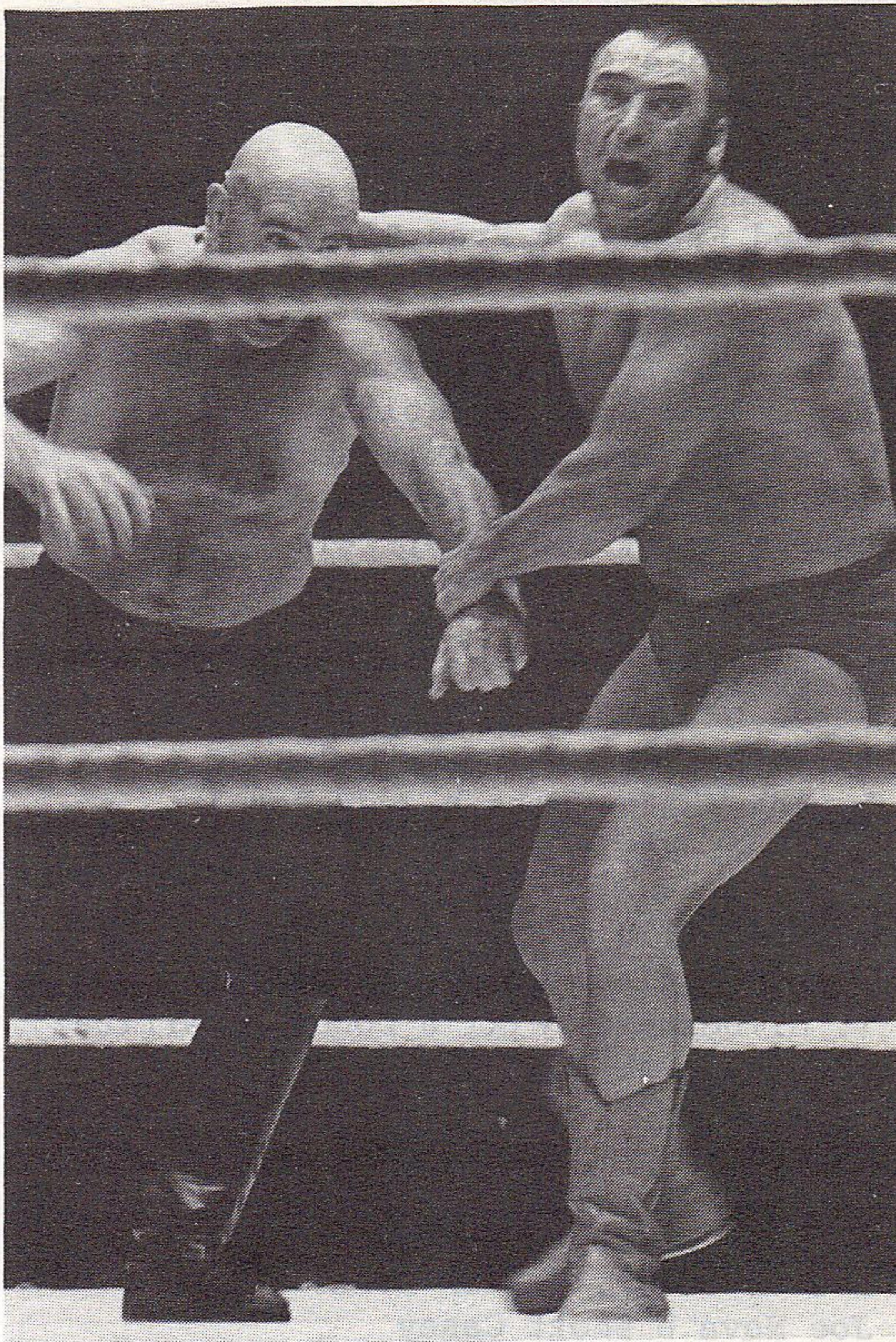
9-22, Charleston

1. Randy Curtis d Charlie Fulton
2. Debbie Johnson b Peggy Patterson
3. Martinelli-Hester b Karlson-Grabmire
4. Weaver-Neilson b Boyd-Charles, dq.

9-23, Calgary

1. George Gordienko b Beautiful Brutus
2. Hurst-Kroffat d Kamata-Sito
3. Kendo Nagasaki b Geoff Portz

The Stomper (Archie Goldie) forcefully whips Hans Schmidt.



9-23, San Francisco

1. Crazy Luke Graham b Beauregarde
2. The Samoans b Collins-Bence
3. Mephisto-SkyLowLow-Little Bruts b
Martin-Farmer Jerome-Tahiti Kid
4. Ray Stevens b Billy Graham
5. Patterson-Johnson b Anderson-DeMarco

9-23, Buffalo

1. Jacques Rougeau b Bull Johnson
2. Raymond Rougeau b Mike Hull
3. Vicki Williams b Toni Rose
4. Baron Scicluna d Cyclone Soto
5. Eric the Red b Mike Gordon
6. Brito-Osborne b Blade-Executioner
7. Fidel-Raoul Castillo b White Owl-
Rivera
8. Johnny Valentine b Luis Martinez
9. John-Don Fargo b DeNucci-Sonny Boy

Hayes (a midget), dq.
10. Ernie Ladd b Abdullah the Butcher

XXIII. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-23, Sarasota

1. Mike Graham b Phil Robley
2. Fuller-Golden b Webster-Redbeard
3. Johnny Walker b Buddy Colt, cor.
4. Bobby Shane b Eddie Grahm, dq.
5. Ron Fuller b Paul Jones, dq.
6. Bob Orton d Hiro Matsuda
7. Tim Woods b Dick Murdoch

9-23, Hammond, Ind.

1. Jose Martinez d Johnny Kace
2. Moose Cholak b Red Dupre
3. Art Thomas b Bobby Heenan
4. Snyder-Bold Eagle-Red Cloud b Lanza-Mulligan-Von Raschke

9-25, Washington, D.C.

1. Ernie Lassiter b Smasher Sloan
2. Manuel Soto b Mike Paidousis
3. Fred Curry b Black Demon
4. Jimmy Valiant b ElOlympico
5. Professor Tanaka b Jay Strongbow, cor.
6. Mr. Fuji nc Victor Rivera

9-25, Vancouver

1. Buck Ramstead b Ray Steele
2. Gil Hayes b Freddy Barron
3. Duncan McTavish b Rick Hunter
4. Gene Kiniski b Steven Little Bear
5. Savage-Higuchi b Quinn-Brown, dq.

9-25, Halifax

1. Ron Thompson b Johnny Ringo, dq.
2. Bobby Kay b Carlos Montez
3. Leo Burk b Earl Black
4. Mike DuBois b Freddie Sweetan
5. The Beast b Killer Karl Krupp

9-25, Fort Worth

1. Lyons-Rico b Alaskan-Godoy
2. Bobby Duncum b Dory Dixon
3. Chris Colt b Red Bastien
4. Stan Stasiak d Mil Mascaras
5. Fritz Von Erich b Johnny Valentine

9-25, Birmingham

1. Cora Combs won 7-girl battle royal
2. Combs-Dagmar b Partlow-Lil
3. Ox the Ripper b both Von Fritz bros.
4. Hall-Sullivan d Donovan-Martinez
5. Lucas-L. Rossi b The Interns

9-25, Tulsa

1. Jerry Miller b Silento Rodriguez
2. Suni War Cloud b Treach Phillips
3. Ivan Putski b Dr. X, dq.
4. Mantell-Smith b Garvin-Meyers

9-25, Orlando

1. Joe Nova b Tony Garea
2. Monroe-Austin b George-Griffin
3. Jimmy Golden b Redbeard
4. Robert Fuller b Paul Jones, dq.
5. Buddy Colt b Johnny Walker
6. Woods-M. Graham-Jack Brisco b Murdoch-Webster-Shane

9-25, Charlotte

1. David Finlay b Billy Hines
2. Matti Suzuki b Joe Furr
3. Vicki Williams b Dottie Downs
4. Boyd-Charles b Hester-Klondike
5. Jerry Brisco b Rock Hunter

9-26, Peoria

1. Angelo Poffo b Angel Rivera
2. Rene Goulet b Stan Darro
3. Kealoha-Muraco b Big K-Koloff
4. Crusher b Dusty Rhodes

9-26, Dallas

1. Frank Monte d Ron Dupre
2. Chris Colt b Johnny Rico
3. Bobby Duncum b Bearcat Wright
4. Von Erich-Lothario b Funk bros.
5. Johnny Valentine b Mil Mascaras, dq.

9-26, Tampa

1. Joe Nova d Mike George
2. Phil Robley d Tony Garea
3. Sputnik Monroe b Tim Woods, dq.
4. Shane-Redbeard-Webster b Brisco-Griffin-M. Graham
5. Fuller-Golden b Jones-Murdoch
6. Buddy Colt b Johnny Walker

9-26, Columbia

1. Johnny Heidman b Bob Burns
2. Randy Curtis b Krusher Karlson
3. Matti Suzuki b Joe Furr
4. McCord-Dillon b Morrell-Harris
5. Weaver-Neilson nc Hawk-Hanson

9-27, Fargo

1. Lanie Kealoha b Big K
2. Rene Goulet d Don Muraco
3. Nick Bockwinkel b Ramon Torres
4. Wahoo McDaniel b Larry Hennig
5. Ray Stevens b Dr. X, dq.

9-27, San Jose

1. Rocky Johnson b Jack Bence
2. Paul DeMarco b Beauregarde
3. Tahiti Kid-Jerome b Sky Low-L. Brutus
4. Lars Anderson b Pat Patterson, dq.

XXIV. SEPTEMBER WRESTLING RESULTS

9-27, Miami

1. Jack Evans d Mike George
2. Joe Nova b Tony Garea
3. Tim Woods b Mike Webster
4. Fuller-Golden b Monroe-Austin
5. Buddy Colt b Johnny Walker
6. Ron Fuller b Dick Murdoch

9-27, Nashville

1. Rock Riddle b Leon Chandler
2. Dennis Hall b Sam Bass
3. Hultz-Lawler-White b Len & Joey Rossi-Kevin Sullivan
4. Lucas-Brown b Infernos

9-27, Baltimore

1. Joe Turco b Black Demon
2. El Olimpico d Chuck O'Connor
3. Ernie Ladd b Gorilla Monsoon
4. Pedro Morales b The Spoiler
5. L. Louie-L. Beaver b Hayes-Adams
6. Fuji-Tanaka nc King-Strongbow

9-27, Evansville

1. Mark Shriner b Jay Clintock
2. Great Fuji d Chief Bold Eagle
3. Marlin-Jackie Fargo-Oni Wiki Wiki b Al & Don Greene & Steve Kyle

9-27, San Antonio

1. Chris Colt b Dory Dixon
2. Alaskans b Duncum-Lyons
3. Dusty Rhodes b Johnny Rico
4. Black Jack Mulligan nc Stan Stasiak
5. Bearcat Wright d Johnny Valentine
6. Mascaras-Lothario b Gordman-Goliath, dq.
7. Dory Funk Jr. d Red Bastien

9-27, Saskatoon

1. Hurst-Pringle b Brutus-Villa
2. Dave Ruhl b Sugi Sito
3. Sonny Rogers b Joe Tomasso, dq.
4. Kendo Nagasaki b Super Hawk
5. Dan Kroffat b Tor Kamata

9-28, Victoria

1. Ray Steele b Jim Gilles
2. Buck Ramstead d Ray Glenn
3. Gil Hayes b Freddy Baron
4. Brown-Quinn b Higuchi-McTavish
5. Gene Kiniski b Steven Little Bear

9-28, No. Dartmouth, Mass.

1. Arnold Skoaland b Chuck O'Connor, dq.
2. El Olimpico b Joe Turco, dq.
3. The Spoiler d Gorilla Monsoon
4. L. Beaver- L. Louie b Hayes-Adams

9-28, Fredericton

1. Ron Thompson b Johnny Ringo
2. Bobby Kay b Carlos Montez
3. Earl Black b Bobby Kay, dq.
4. Freddie Sweetan b Leo Burk
5. The Beast b Killer Karl Krupp

9-28, Amarillo

1. Pak-Song b Mr. Okuma
2. Ciclon Negro d Ricky Romero
3. Hank James b Bill Cody
4. Al Hayes & Ricki Starr split purse winning 17-man battle royal
5. Von Steiger-Mueller b Hayes-Starr

9-28, Toledo

1. Dan Miller b George Cannon
2. Kent-Costello-Psycho b Marino-Igor-Calhoun
3. Big Bill Miller b Karl VonStroheim
4. Tim Brooks b Tex McKenzie
5. Arakawa-Ortega b Justice-Zulu

9-28, Jacksonville

1. Mike Graham b Smasher Sloan
2. Bobby Shane b Johnny Walker
3. Redbeard-Webster b Garea-George
4. Monroe-Austin b Griffin-Golden
5. Jack Brisco b Buddy Colt
6. Tim Woods b Dick Murdoch

9-29, Pittsburgh

1. Lil Abner Osborne b Abdullah, dq.
2. John L. Sullivan b Frank Durso
3. Larry Zbyszko b Tom Reeseman
4. Victor Rivera b Joe Abby
5. Baron Scicluna b Luis Martinez, cor
6. Bill-Dan Miller b Lopez-Altomare
7. Shohei Baba b Frank Holtz
8. Don-John Fargo b Sammartino-Dunucci

9-29, Atlanta

1. Oki Shikina b Koa Tiki
2. Jesse James b Rocket Monroe
3. Tommy Seigler d Scandor Akbar
4. Green-Patterson b Kaye-Christanello
5. Os Baker b Man Mtn. Mike
6. Bob Armstrong b Nick Bockwinkel
7. Roberto Soto nc Argentina Apollo

9-29, St. Joseph

1. Omar Atlas b Roger Kirby
2. Ronnie Etchison b Bobby Whitlock
3. The Stomper b The Destroyer, dq.
4. Danny Little Bear b Harley Race
5. Viking-Thornton b Howard-Fuji

9-29, Tallahassee

1. Bob Orton Jr. b Mike George
2. Bob Griffin b Joe Nova
3. Jack Welch b Redbeard
4. Shane-Webster b Golden-Fuller
5. Buddy Colt b Johnny Walker

9-29, Lynchburg

1. Bob Burns b Krusher Karlson
2. Matti Suzuki b Terry Sawyer
3. Randy Curtis b Jim Grabmire
4. Klondike Bill-Big Luke b Harris-Soto

9-29, Charleston

1. Jim Dillon d David Finlay
2. Joe Furr b Bobby Paul
3. Vicki Williams b Dottie Downs
4. Fulton-Morrell b Martinelli-Hester
5. Weaver-Neilson b Hawk-Hanson, dq.

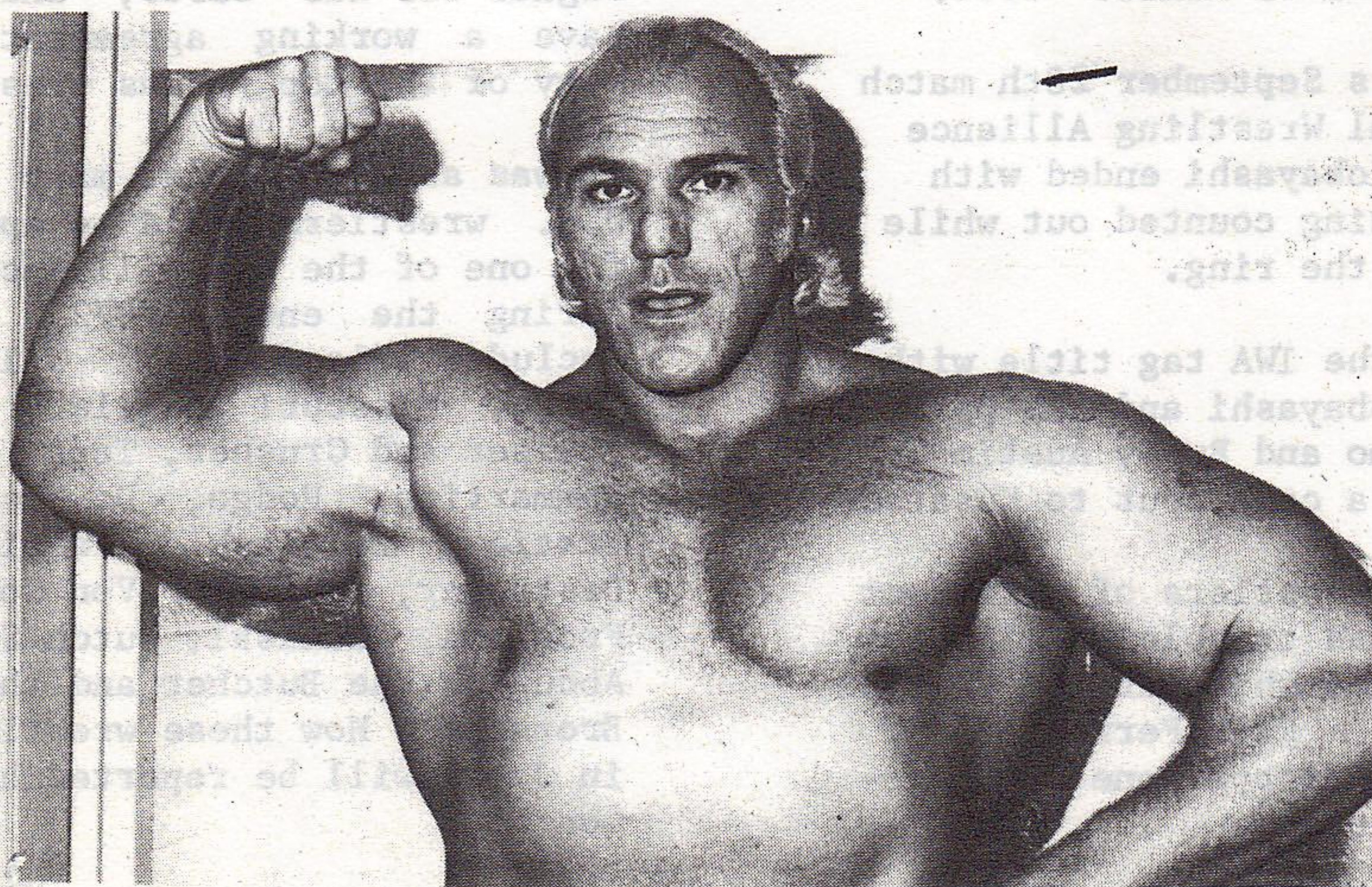
9-30, Hereford

1. Hank James b Mr. Wrestling
2. Hans Mueller d Al Hayes
3. Ciclon Negro d Pak Song
4. Romero-N. Kozak b Gordman-Goliath

9-30, New York (Shea Stadium)

1. L. Beaver-L. Louie b Hayes-Adams
2. El Olimpico b Chuck O'Connor, dq.
3. Jack Brisco b Mr. Fuji
4. Ernie Ladd d Gorilla Monsoon
5. Stronbow-King b Albano-Spoiler
6. Fabulous Moolah b Debbie Johnson
7. Pedro Morales d Bruno Sammartino

BILLY "SUPERSTAR" GRAHAM



9-30, Detroit (Cobo)

1. Jess Ortega b Nikita Mulkovich
2. Ray Elmore b Karl Von Stroheim
3. J. B. Psycho b Dick Ritchie
4. Love Bros. d Robertson-Zulu
5. Dan Miller b Mitsu Arakawa
6. Von Sholtz-Von Hess b Bounty Hunters
7. Terry Funk b Dr. X
8. Haystacks Calhoun b Hans Schmidt
9. Tony Marino b Tim Brooks, dq.
10. Tex McKenzie b Rick O'Toole
11. Pampero Firpo b Igor Vodik
12. The Sheik b Lou Klein
13. Bobo Brazil b Johnny Valentine
14. Kangaroos nc Justice-Stomper

9-30, Philadelphia (afternoon)

1. L. Beaver-L. Louie b Hayes-Adams
2. Jay Strongbow b George Steele, dq in finals of 20-man battle royal
3. Professor Tanaka b Angelo Savoldi
4. Sonny King b Vincente Pommatti
5. El Olimpico b Black Demon
6. Joe Turco b Paul Figueroa
7. The Spoiler b Ben Ortiz
8. Ernie Ladd b Juan & Jose Rodriguez
9. Mr. Fuji b Frank Romano
10. Chuck O'Connor b Miguel Feliciano

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1. Jones-Bolus b Yokouchi-Fuji
2. Bob Geigel b The Destroyer, dq.
3. The Stomper b Black Angus Campbell
4. Danny Little Bear b Harley Race

JAPAN

Japanese Wrestling Alliance champion Seiji Sakaguchi lost his United National title in Tokyo, September 6, to the Sheik who used a coca cola can and his ball point pen as effective weapons. The following night in Osaka, Sakaguchi regained the championship as the Sheik was caught using his pen and was disqualified for the first fall. Seiji brainbusters and a backdrop to secure the second fall.

With Yoshimura, Sakaguchi holds the All-Asian tag title which they defended against Bull Ramos and Chris Markoff. . . Sakaguchi also beat the Ramos-Markoff duo with Kintaro Oki as his partner, and teaming with Kojika, beat Black Gordman and Goliath.

Gordman and Goliath did not fare well on this tour of Japan as Gordman lost to Matsuoka (Mr. Ota) and drew with Mitsu Hirai. . . Goliath dropped a match to Matsuoka in just 31 seconds.

Markoff and Gordman beat Kojika-Oki, but lost to Hoshino and Yoshimura. Bull Ramos did defeat Kojika and got disqualified against Matsuoka.

Thunder Sugiyama transferred from the IWA to the JWA. Prior to this change, Sugiyama wrestled the reknown Billy Robinson to a 45 minute draw.

Robinson's September 28th match with International Wrestling Alliance champion, Shozo Kobayashi ended with both wrestlers being counted out while battling outside the ring.

Sharing the IWA tag title with the Great Kusatsu, Kobayashi and his partner whipped Bill Dromo and Buddy Austin . . . Austin also lost a cage bout to Kusatsu.

American wrestlers of different styles as usual had trouble teaming for six-man tag matches which are so popular for the Japanese. Rick Ferrara-Benji Ramirez and Dromo dropped one to Chinese-Teranishi and Tanaka. . . .

Kusatsu and Kobayashi teamed with Teranishi to beat Austin-Dromo and Robinson, while the Kobayashi-Daigo-Tanaka trio upended Robinson-Ferrara-Austin. . . In singles matches, Rick Ferrara (Igor Putski) lost to Teranishi and Benji Ramirez was pinned by Tadaharu Tanaka.

Antonio Inoki continues to spotlight older Japanese wrestlers and Souther American mat me for his promotions. The legendary Toyonobori was pinned by Abe Jacobs who is wrestling there as the Masked Red Pumpnel. . . . Tosh Togo (Harold "Odd Job" Sakata) was disqualified when he met Kao Tiki. Ernie Lassiter beat Yamamoto. . . . In tag action, Inoki and Shibata beat Sean Regan and Wayne Bridges, and Leon Baxter and Dick Dunn.

In a shocking announcement, possibly prompted by the success Inoki is having with his new alliance, the great Shohei Baba stated he was leaving the JWA to form his own alliance, which would be the fourth competitive association in Japan. Baba has Masio Koma, Mr. Okuma and Yoshino Sato, all prominent in the United States signed for his cards, and will have a working agreement with many of the top Texas wrestlers.

It was announced that many top U.S. wrestlers would be appearing for one of the four alliances during the end of 1972. They include Nelson Royal, Waldo Von Erich, Missouri Mauller, Kangaroos Bruiser and Crusher, Terry Funk, Sammartino, Hodge, De Nucci, Bastien, Bullinski, Blassie, Destroyer, Brazil, Von Goering, Froelich, Kiniski, Dutch Savage, Abdullah the Butcher and the Peace Brothers. How these wrestlers do in Japan will be reported here next month.

PACIFIC NORTHWEST

Bulldog Brown and Big John Quinn did not hold the tag title recognized in Canada for long. They won it from Steven Little Bear and Dutch Savage on August 7th in Vancouver, then turned around and gave it back the following week. The title continued to act like a bouncing ball with Brown and Quinn Again grabbing it in Vancouver on September 4th. This time their grasp has remained firm despite facing Dean Higuchi who teamed with both halves of the former championship team (Savage and Little Bear) as well as Duncan McTavish.

Gene Kiniski held fast to his Pacific Coast Title despite meeting some rugged challengers. His September 18th bout with Dutch Savage ended in disqualification when he began brawling with old nemesis, referee Roy McClarity. Vancouver fans saw a decision the following week as they squared off in a no disqualification match with six guards around the ring. Dutch used his thumb jab to the throat to pin Gene for the opening fall, but Kiniski came back to win the next two, using a knee-drop and a backbreaker to obtain the desired results. . . . Kiniski continued his dominance over Steven Little Bear. . . . Dean Higuchi defeated Gene but only via disqualification.

On August 7, in Vancouver, a 9-man battle royal was held. Higuchi and 410 lb. "Plowboy" Stan Frazier outlasted Jack Bence, Bob Demon, John Foley, Eddie Morrow, Buck Ramstead, Ray Glenn and Gil Hayes. Many fans expected to see the two good guys split the money, but to their surprise Higuchi flipped Frazier out of the ring to be declared the winner.

September 2, in Victoria, a 6-man tag team elimination bout saw the good guys, Higuchi, Morrow and Little Bear beat Brown, Hayes and Quinn. Morrow was the first to go, followed by Brown and Higuchi. This left Little Bear

to face Hayes and Quinn but the Indian responded to the challenge and won the final two falls. . . .

. . . Eddie Morrow broke his string of appearing on Vancouver cards for more than nine months when he did not appear on September 25th. Rick Hunter substituted and lost to Duncan McTavish.

Gil Hayes has done very well these past two months in British Columbia with wins over Freddy Barron, Jack Bence, and Tito Montez, draws against Duncan McTavish and Eddie Morrow and a loss to Dean Higuchi in which he won a fall and lost a fall on disqualification for refusing to allow the popular Hawaiian back into the ring.

Bull Ramos held onto his Pacific Northwest Championship despite the determined bid of ex-champion Dutch Savage (lost it April 29, in Portland). Bull pulled a fast one using some kind of foreign object to set up the pin in Portland August 15. . . . Savage and Lonnie Mayne prevented Ramos and The Skull from taking the tag team title. It was a frustrating loss for the Skull who watched his disgusted tag partner leave for the dressing room and get counted out. . . . Ramos nearly was dethroned in Salem, Oregon on August 3, when he was matched against Mayne, with Lonnie tag partner, Dutch Savage as the ref. Bull survived the slow counts for him and fast counts against him, only because Mayne attempted one too many kneedrops off the top rope, lost his balance and fell hard to the concrete floor where he was counted out. . . . Eugene, Oregon was the scene of a 10-man tag match with The Skull, Ramos, Tony Borne, Haru Sasaki, and Apache Gringo vs. Tony Rocco, Savage, Mayne, Sabu Singh and Richy Hunter. The Skull headbutted Dutch for the opening fall, but the hero came back to win the next two falls, Hunter pinning Sasaki, and Savage

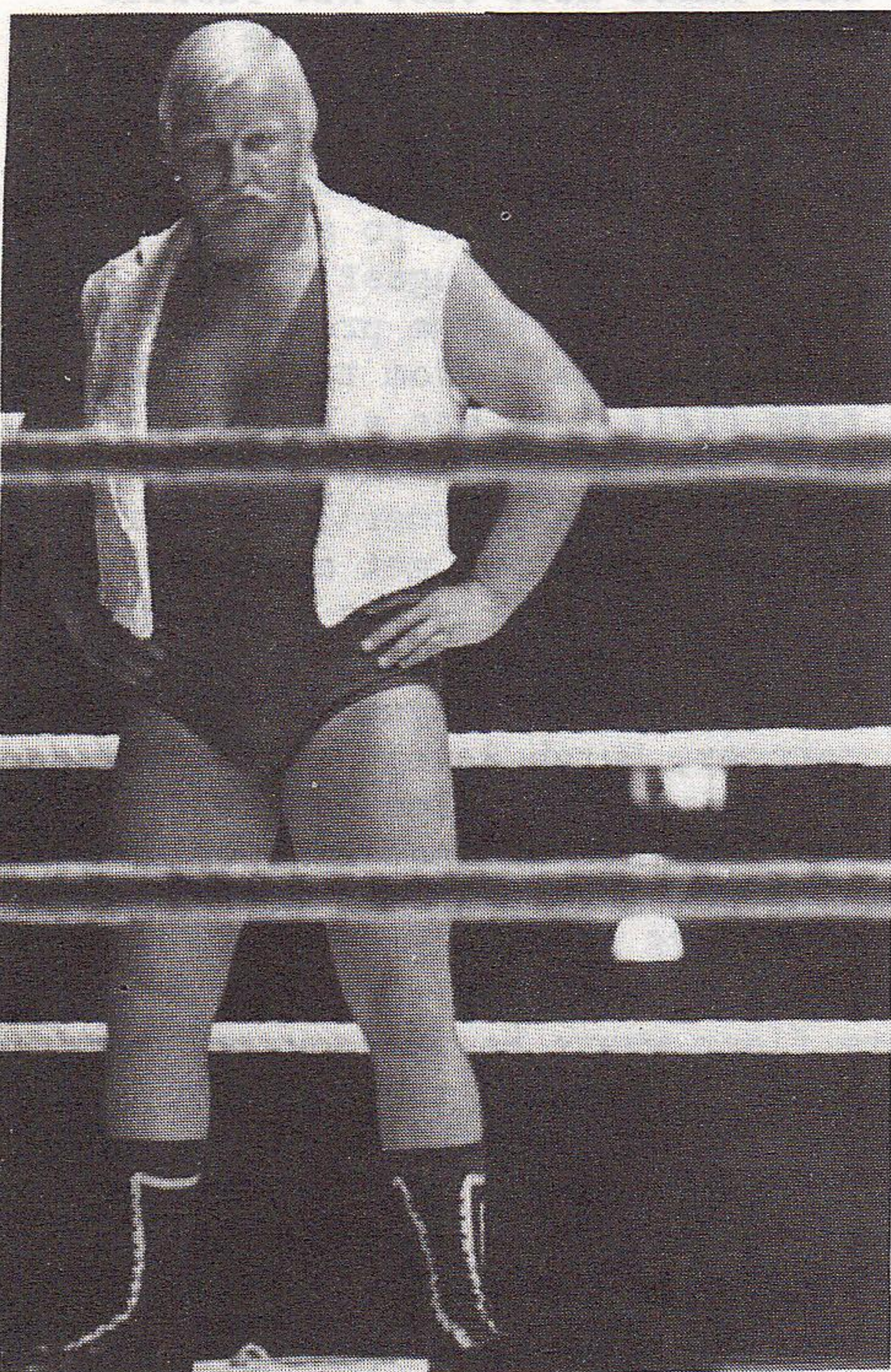
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took the deciding one from Ramos... . September 22, in Eugene, Ore., Mayne met the Skull in a match in which the first one to bleed is declared the loser. Fighting outside the ring, Lonnie tossed a chair into the center of the ring and the two scrambled back in to get it. The Skull grabbed the chair and knocked out referee, Tito Montez, then grappled with Mayne. The Skull did not see Tony Rocco jump into the ring and grab the chair away from him. Before he could recover from his surprise, Tony had slammed the chair down on his own head causing the blood to pour forth. Tito regained consciousness, saw the Skull bleeding and awarded Mayne the match.

The Skull has been teaming up with Tony Borne in an effort to take the tag title from their common enemies. . . . September 8th, Eugene, Oregon, Mayne and Savage were the last two left in a 10-man battle royal and split the purse.... The Skull was disqualified in the final fall of his September 16, Portland match, with Dutch Savage . . . On the 30th, Savage lost another opportunity to regain the championship from Bull Ramos when the referee halted the bout because of the excessive bleeding. (For more information on this area, you can send 25¢ to Ringside Reporter, 40 Irving Road, Eugene, Oregon 97402 for their excellent 8-page newspaper devoted to Oregon wrestling or send 50¢ for a sample copy of the Vancouver Scene Fan Club bulletin, put out by Andrew Carmichael, 2157 W. 57th Ave. Vancouver, 14, B.C. CANADA)

CALIFORNIA

Pat Patterson continues to hold the U.S. title recognized in Northern California despite some rugged matches with Lars Anderson and Paul DeMarco. Lars lost one such bout on September 13, (San Jose) when he began arguing with Patterson's partner, Rocky Johnson, and was unaware that Pat was sneaking up on him until he was maneuvered into a slick cradle. . . De Marco and Anderson continue to claim the World's tag title despite being overwhelmed in several matches with ex-champions, Patterson and Johnson. These bouts usually end with the champions getting themselves disqualified. On TV, Pat had De Marco a bloody mess and was on the verge of pinning him when Anderson hit the referee to get disqualified and save their championship. . . The Samoans continue to be undefeated in No. California tag team action but have yet to get a title bout or achieve main event status.



ROGER KIRBY

CALIFORNIA(continued)

The Great Mephisto has been winning matches against wrestlers of the calibre of Pepper Martin, Tony Rocca, Beauregarde, and Pepper Gomez using his boot loaded with steel. In a mixed tag match he used it on midget star, Farmer Jerome, enabling SkyLowLow to pin him. Jerome had to be taken out of the ring on a stretcher.

In Southern California, Ernie Ladd continued to hold the Americas' title he won from John Tolos July 28, but he found the going extremely tough, as he lost a non-title cage bout to Ruben Juarez and went to a no contest with Mil Mascaras. . . Kinji Shibuya and Massa Saito were not as fortunate in defending their tag team title, dropping it to Eric Froelich and Ruben Juarez. (For a detailed look at California wrestling it is suggested you send 25¢ to David Meltzer for a sample copy of his California Wrestling Report bulletin. 6562 Winterset Way, San Jose, California 95120).

TEXAS

Bearcat Wright won a 10-man battle royal, eliminating Stan Stasiak to claim the prize. . . Wahoo McDaniel defeated Johnny Valentine after a five fall Death Match. . . Red Bastien wrestled to an hour draw with NWA Champ, Dory Funk Jr. Red took the opening fall with a pin after his atomic drop, then was caught in a backslide. With less than a minute to go, Bastien twice gave Dory atomic drops only to see Funk manage to keep from being pinned.

The referee got the worst of a recent Black Jack Mulligan-Stan Stasiak match when he got between the two brawlers and was punched by each one. Therefore he ruled it a no contest. . . Tommy Seigler surprised John L. Sullivan who asked for a three minute extension after their fifteen minute bout ended in a draw. Sullivan obtained the added time only to be overwhelmed in twenty-seven seconds.

Jose Lothario has had some very near misses when tangling with Texas Champion, Stan Stasiak. One bout saw him win two straight falls, however, the title did not change because the second one was due to disqualification. Another bout saw Jose actually awarded the title but the decision was later reversed because referee Red Lyons got into an argument with Stan and put on a sleeper hold which set up Jose's pin. Stasiak bowed out of a tag match in which he would have encountered Lothario after Jose used Stan's own pet weapon, the "heart punch" during a pre-bout interview. . . . Jose has had considerably more trouble in his battles with American champ, Johnny Valentine.

Black Gordman and Goliath traveled to Texas and beat the impressive combination of Ricky Romero and Terry Funk. However, the following week, Goliath lost a Mexican death match to Ricky, while Funk beat Gordman in a Russian chain match. . . Boris Malenko lost a Russian chain match to Bearcat Wright and left the area. . . Wright teamed with Red Bastien to win a tag team tournament, getting by Sullivan and Godoy, Stasiak and Malenko, and the Alaskans, all in one evening.

Since going to a classic hour draw with Dory Funk Jr. this summer, Fritz Von Erich has added evidence for his backers that he is superior to the NWA Champion. With a fall apiece, in Amarillo (Aug. 24) Fritz became violently angry when he put on his claw hold only to be forced to release it because Dory had draped a foot over the bottom rope strand. Fritz got up, grabbed the title belt and slugged Funk over the head, getting disqualified. Fritz's reaction to the bout was that it had been a mistake to face Dory in his hometown, where everyone seemed to be on his side. . . . Just amonth later in Fritz' home

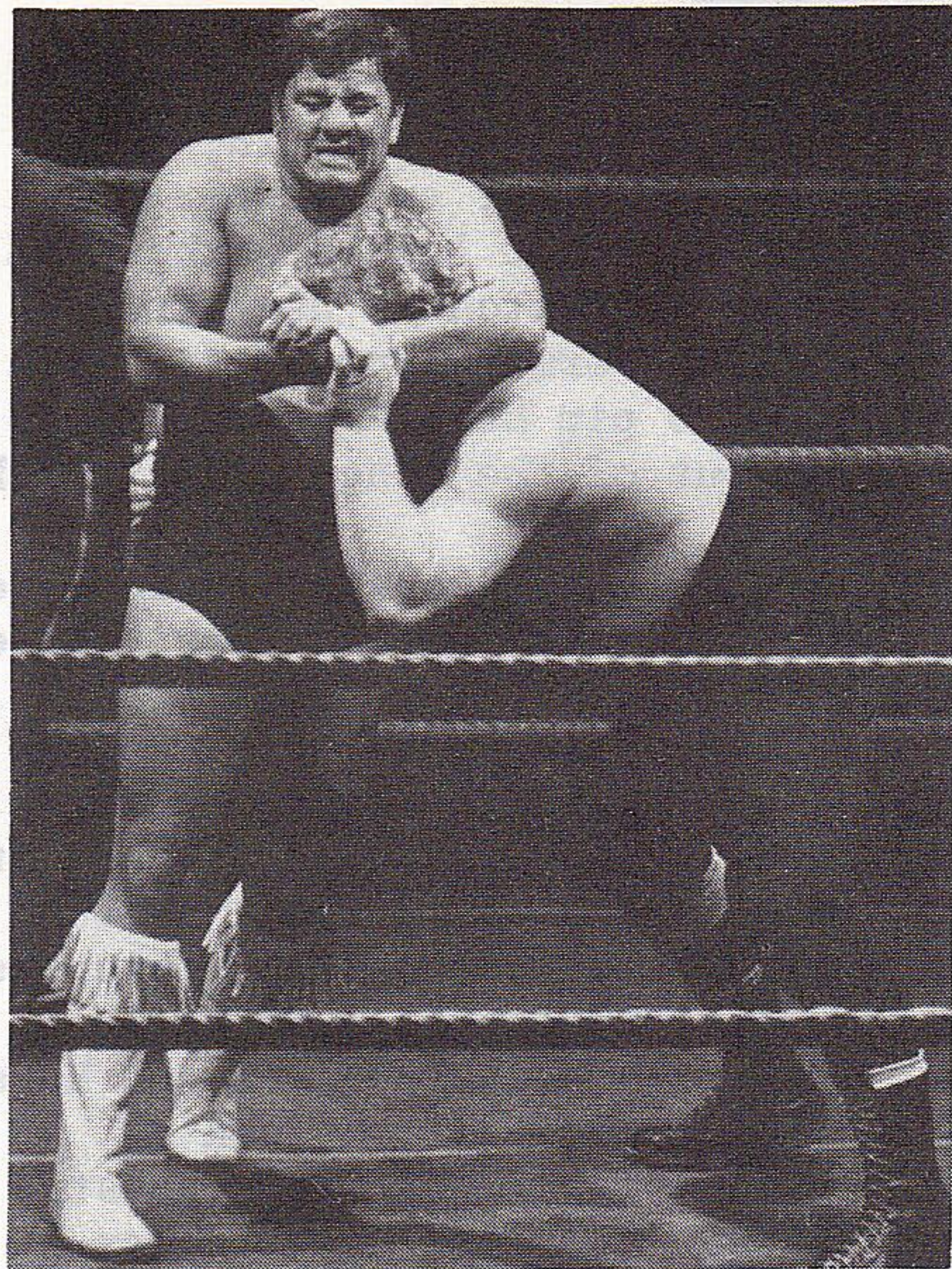
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area of Dallas, he and Jose Lothario defeated Dory and brother Terry in an exciting tag battle. . . Fritz also has a bitter feud going with "Crusher" Stan Stasiak in which he has dominated the rugged Oregon villain. One match saw the easily excitable Von Erich disqualified in straight falls. Stasiak's biggest satisfaction was a five minute draw that cost Fritz \$8000, as Von Erich had boasted he would pin or force a submission from him within that five minute span.

Ciclon Negro was the most impressive wrestler in West Texas with Death Match victories over Al Hayes, Nick Kozak Terry Funk and Dory Funk Sr. He could also boast of pinning the Sheik (Aug. 24-Amarillo) after a mid-ring collision. It was one of the most thrilling bouts ever witnessed in Amarillo.

Bobby Duncum and Dick Murdoch held the Western States tag title. They injured Ricky Romero bringing about Pak-Song to replace him as Nick Kozak's partner. The big Korean used karate to pin Murdoch in the third fall, but the title did not change hands due to the fact Pak-Song had not originally started the match. . . Aug. 24, Murdoch missed a leap off the top rope, hitting Duncum instead and costing them their tag team belts. The new champions were English star, Lord Alfred Hayes and Ricki Starr, a top wrestling attraction a decade ago, has spent most of the last ten years wrestling in England. . . Ricki became a box office draw by combining his love for ballet with wrestling and often appeared on television programs such as "Mr. Ed". . . After losing the tag title, Duncum began appearing in Texas towns outside of the Panhandle region, billing himself as "Lord Robert" Duncum. Apparently that English influence affected him. Duncum turned on tag partner, Red Lyons and helped the Alaskans beat him to a pulp.

Wahoo McDaniel secures a headlock on Larry Hennig.



Pak-Song and Ricky Romero lost to the Red Devil and Karl Von Steiger when Pak-Song was disqualified for using karate on the German. Then Pak-Song teamed with Mr. Wrestling in a handicap bout against the Red Devil-Steiger combination with help from J. C. Dykes, the masked man's manager. Dykes' help was not enough and the trio lost. . . After Lord Hayes defeated the Red Devil in a successful defense of his Western States Championship, J.C. Dykes set fire to the mask of Mr. Wrestling, who had been seconding Hayes. . . Dory Funk Sr. challenged Dykes to a match in which he would pay the cocky manager \$500 if he couldn't pin him within five minutes. It turned out to be a safe wager for Funk.

Sept. 28 (Amarillo) Von Steiger and Hans Mueller scored the only fall in a forty-five minute tag battle with Starr and Hayes and took the team title. . . Earlier in the evening Starr and Hayes survived the cutthroat competition to win a 17-man battle royal and share the winnings

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Mil Mascaras and Jose Lothario won over Black Gordman and Goliath, when Mil tried one of his flying head butts only to have Goliath pull the top rope down, causing Mascaras to fly out of the ring. Goliath's action caused his team to be disqualified. . . Pa Song beat Mr. Okuma in a judo jacket match. . . In a Texas Tornado match with all four men in the ring at once, Bobby Duncum (with Murdoch) pinned Suni War Cloud (with Romero) . . . Chris Colt getting by the likes of Dory Dixon, John L. Sullivan, Tommy Seigler and Red Bastien, with his manager, Ron Dupre, deserving much of the credit.

CENTRAL STATES

September 8, in St. Louis, Gene Kiniski beat Jack Brisco on a strange ending that earned a title match for the big Canadian. Brisco had been tossed out of the ring and when he returned to the apron, he rammed into Gene with a bodyblock which sent Kiniski sprawling to the mat, but at the same time, the momentum flipped Jack back into the ring where he landed on Kiniski's knee with his stomach. As he gasped for breath, Gene kneedropped him and pinned him.

Also on that card, Cowboy Ellis, The Stomper and Pat O'Connor faced Pak Song, Harley Race and Baron Von-Raschke in a six-man tag team elimination bout. Ellis fell victim to triple teaming and was the first to be pinned and eliminated when Raschke gave him a body press. O'Connor then got rid of Pak Song in the second fall with a flying body press; Race interfered with Pat's sleeper on the Baron and eventually the double-teaming wore down Pat. This left the Stomper to battle both Race and Raschke. However, the two villains had a falling out when the Baron accidentally kicked Race in the back, causing Harley to be pinned. In the final fall, the Stomper's kicking and slugging was too much for Raschke

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who was pinned, making the Stomper and his team the winner.

During TV tapings in St. Louis on September 10, Harley Race and Gene Kiniski challenged Pat O'Connor and Dory Funk Jr. after they had disposed of Yokouchi-Fuji. Accepting the challenge turned out badly for Funk who lost the one fall after being given a suplex by Race.

Dory looked very tired in Des Moines on August 16, and had to resort to using the ringbell to bang up the Stomper's knee to set up his spinning toehold, after he had lost the opening fall. Stomper could not answer the bell for the third fall.

Bill Howard has changed into a villain but is not finding much success with his new style. . . The Destroyer wrestling in this area is not the original one. . . Ex-tag champs, Yokouchi and Fuji have not been impressive of late and were upset by Steve Bolus and Les Thornton.

Harley Race continues to hold onto both his Central States and Missouri State championships. In the process, he has beaten Cowboy Ellis, Baron Von Raschke and in a death match, Dory Funk Sr. Facing son, Terry, Harley had to resort to using a foreign object on both Funk and the referee to get disqualified. . . Harley also lost an Indian strap match which operated under death rules. Danny Little Bear won after seven falls, but then he was jumped from behind and tied into the ropes with the strap, and pounded by Race. Little Bear who had been bleeding from the fourth fall on, lost considerable blood in the wild contest.

Black Angus Campbell and Roger Kirby continue to hold the tag title, winning a big victory over

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Tom Jones and Pat O'Connor. The tag champs were also disqualified in bouts with Jones and Omar Atlas and with Little Bear and Von Raschke in which Race jumped into the ring to mix it up with the unlikely pair of Raschke and Little Bear.

WRESTLERS

Lorenzo Parente and Bobby Hart continued to find ways to defeat Tom Jones and Ken Mantell, but in Shreveport, La. they lost their tag team title to Duke Meyers and Terry Garvin (with help from brother-manager Jim). Sept. 18 in Tulsa, they were rematched with the losers to leave town, and again the Garvin-Meyers team came out on top. . . The following card Grizzly Smith and Ken Mantell defeated the new tag champs, but it was a non-title bout. . . Before winning the tag championship, Meyers and Garvin lost straight falls to Igor Putski and Bill Watts. Much of the credit for that victory goes to the referee who disqualified Meyers and Garvin in the first fall, and to Leo Voss who was chained to Jim Garvin, preventing him from his usual skullduggery.

Cruiser Bob Seetan has caused a great deal of excitement in main events against the top area heroes, Danny Hodge and Cowboy Bill Watts. Sweetan used karate to defeat NWA Junior Heavyweight champion Hodge in a non-title bout. They then went to a bloody no contest and then met again in a boxing match, which ended with Sweetan getting disqualified for getting assistance from Jim (Dr. X) Osborne.

Sweetan got himself disqualified in his first battle with Watts in Tulsa and in their Texas Death match that followed, Watts completely outclassed Sweetan until they collided, with Sweetan being knocked out of the ring where he was counted out.

Dale Lewis and Jim Osborne beat Ivan and Igor Putski using many illegal, and

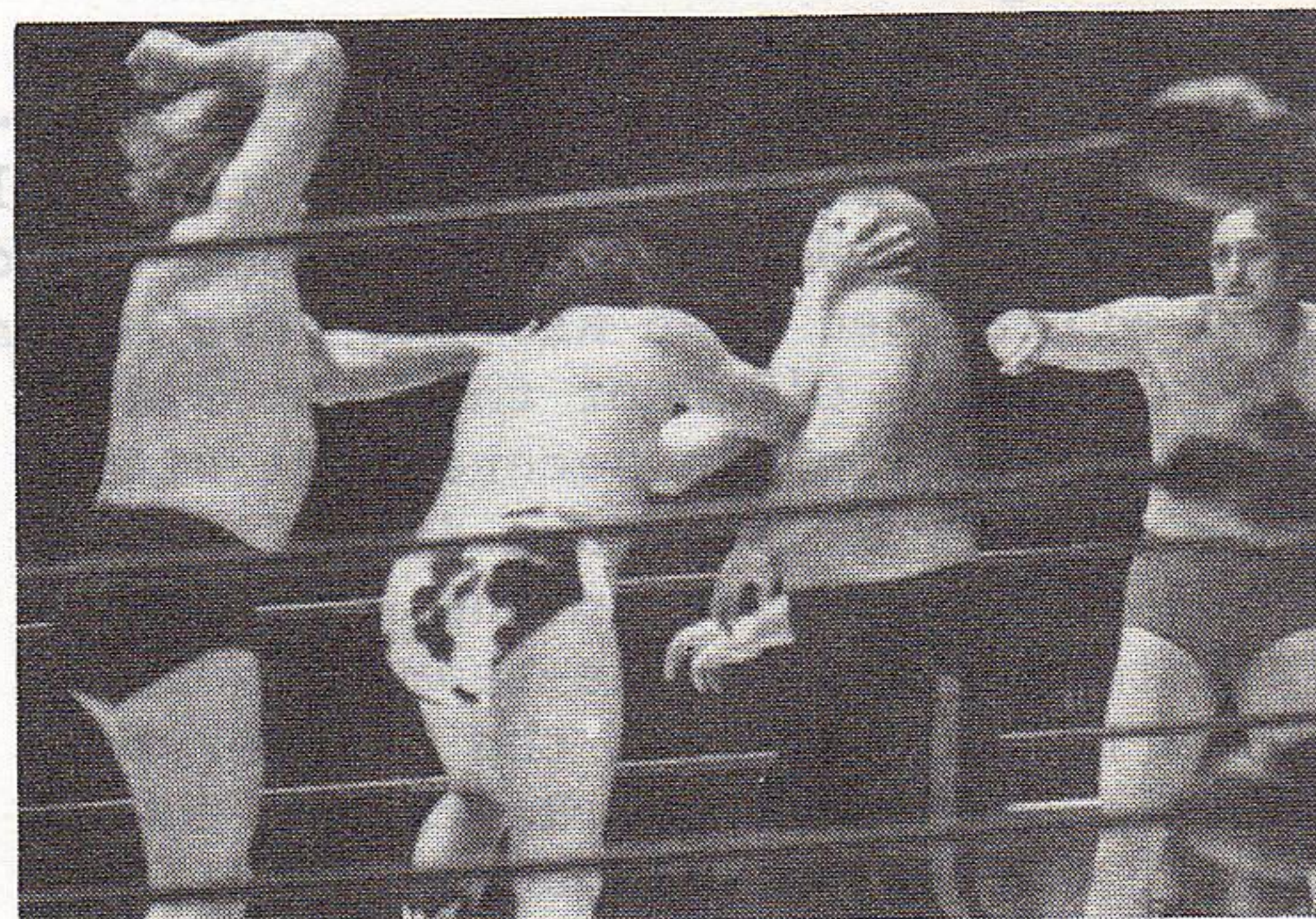
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double-teaming maneuvers and repeated their success against Ivan and Ken Mantell. . . Putski redeemed himself with a couple of victories over Lewis. Lewis was extremely irritated at one of these losses in which the rule stated that in the final fall, Lewis had to win with his sleeper hold or Putski with his bearhug. A confused ref counted Ivan pinned, however, which brought other officials to inform the referee that such a pin could not count. Lewis began arguing that the match should be over and Ivan came up behind him and clamped on his bearhug to end it all. . . Dr. X (Osborne) also met Putski, and took the easy way out by getting disqualified.

Dale Lewis also lost to Bill Watts, Lewis managed to apply his sleeper hold to Bill but Watts smashed backwards into the turnbuckle, causing Dale to release the hold. He was stunned enough for Watts to cradle him for the deciding fall pin. . . Dale Lewis' young brother, Gene, is now in the area wrestling and aiding his big brother. Gene was matched against Tom Jones who was just too good for the young Lewis.

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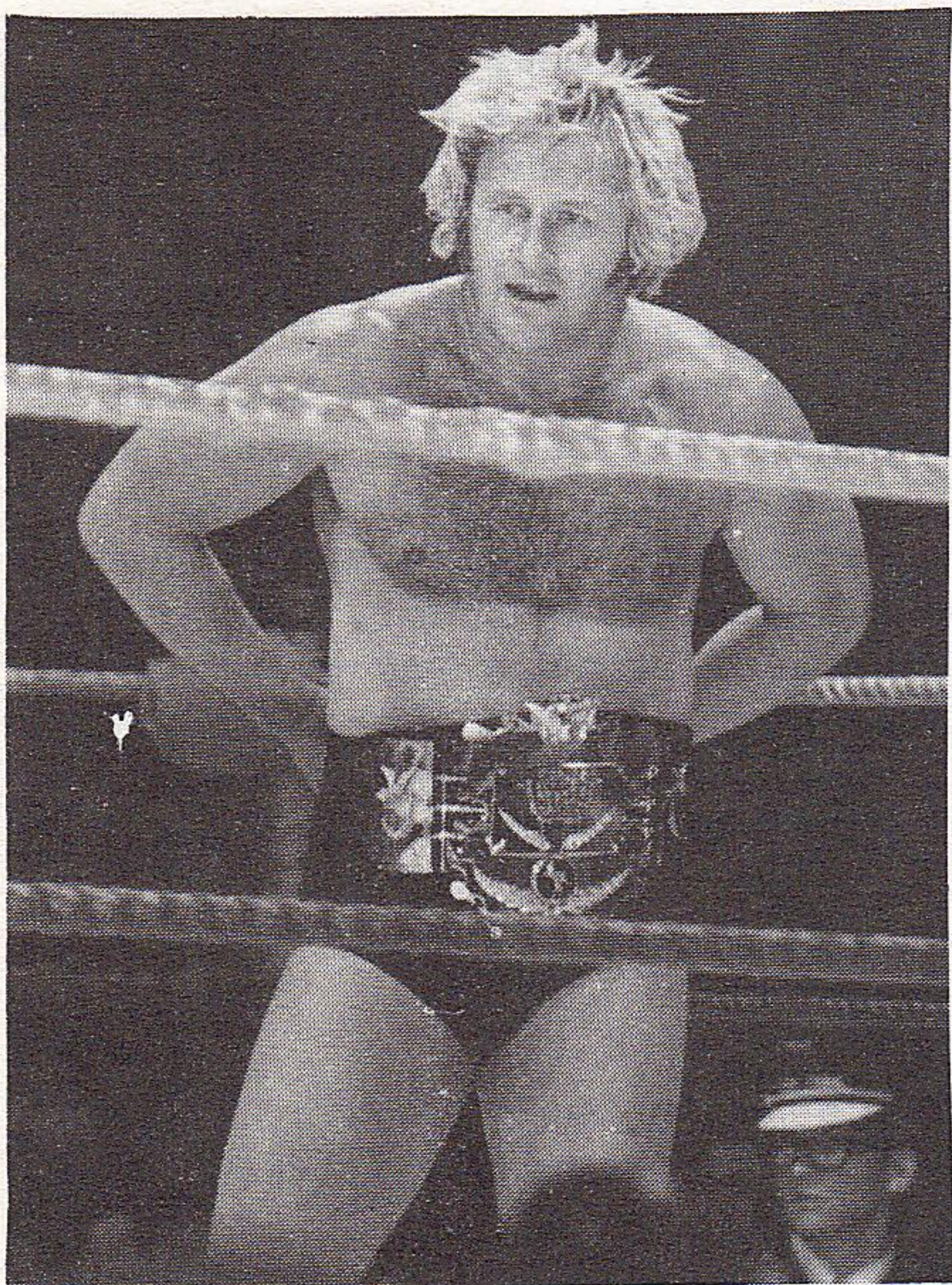
Cowboy Bob Kelley lost the state title to the Spoiler who won the



Johnny Valentine aims a brainbuster at Cowboy Ellis who is fighting the Student while Tex McKenzie looks on.

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match by disqualification. Mississippi state rules provide for such a change of title on a disqualification ruling, however, Kelley would not allow anyone to take it from him. He did agree to hand Arman Hussein the belt if he beat the Spoiler in an upcoming match. The match ended in a no contest, but a rematch saw Hussein whip the masked man and Kelley turned the belt over to him. When Hussein was disqualified in another bout with the Spoiler, Kelley was again on the spot and took possession of it before the Spoiler could. The NWA stepped in and demanded the belt be turned over to the new champion and Kelley replied that he had destroyed it. Kelley lost his license only to have a masked wrestler called the New Blue Yankee appear who was obviously Bob in disguise. Finally the NWA agreed to reinstate him if he would put up \$850 for a new belt, which he did, and on August 18 a tournament began to decide who would gain the belt.



NICK BOCKWINKEL

MISSISSIPPI (Continued)

Since the tournament was open to all the top area wrestlers the tournament moved slowly toward its conclusion. Promoter Speedy Hatfield's solution was to put the 7 remaining contestants into a battle royal, with the one who emerged victorious to be regarded as the champion. The rest of the field had consisted of Hussein, Spoiler, Bob Boyer, Pancho Rosario, The Medic and Bobby Fields.

The Spoiler then stole the belt setting up a series of matches that saw Gorgeous George Jr., now become a hero to the fans. George agreed to return the belt to the state commission if the Spoiler beat him but before the televised bout, Cowboy Kelley attacked the masked man, seriously injuring him so that he never had a chance against the Gorgeous one.

The Spoiler brought in another masked man, called Spoiler #2, and with the provision Spoiler #1 would unmask if his protege lost. George gave him a title match and lost it and the belt.

The U.S. tag champs are Eddie Sullivan and Rip Tyler, and they have been avoiding Mississippi's most prominent team - Kelley and Frank Dalton. On Sept. 30, Kelley and Dalton defeated the champions on a televised, non-title match which assures them of a title shot in the near future.

ALABAMA-TENNESSEE

In August the Mid-American tag title was traded back and forth between Ken Ramey's Interns and Bill Dromo and Tojo Yamamoto. Ramey even used ether to help his masked men win on one occasion. Dromo and Yamamoto held the title when Big Bill was injured, so a tournament was held to establish new champions. Newcomers from the

ALABAMA-TENNESSEE (Continued)

Ozark territory, Lorenzo Parente and Bobby Hart moved right in, defeating Jerry Lawler and Jim White, and Ken Lucas and Frankie Laine to earn the championship. Much of the credit for the Parente-Hart success goes to Don Duffy, whom they brought with them to act as their manager and whose shenanigans have proven invaluable. The fans have also been upset over the built-up shoe Hart uses to his advantage.

Ken Lucas and Len Rossi won trophies as the area's best wrestlers. The Interns broke them, starting a hot feud. . . Dandy Jack Donovan and Frank Martinez (one of the ex-Dr. Deaths) making a formidable team here. . . Cora Combs won a battle royal involving four other gals--Patty Drake, Sarah Lee, Sandy Partlow and Marlene Belkas--as well as Diamond Lil and Darling Dagmar, the midget lady wrestlers who are in the area. . . 525 lb. Ox the Ripper had little trouble winning a handicap match from Eric and Fritz Von Fritz.

After 11 months of wearing masks, The Medics' identities were revealed when they lost to Lucas and Bearcat Brown. As agreed upon prior to the bout, the losers unmasked and were recognized as Jack and Jim Dalton. . . Mr. Pro was also unmasked and turned out to be Pepe Lopez.

Ron and Don Wright hold the Tennessee tag title. Ron like Bobby Hart uses a loaded shoe. As a result Sputnik Monroe received permission to wear combat boots into the ring, and with Tommy Gilbert, beat the Wrights in a non-title match. . . Jackie Fargo is having a big feud with Don and Al Greene, the world tag champs, and has beaten big Al in some wild cage bouts.

Len Rossi, his son Joey, and Kevin Sullivan engaged in a wild six man tag match against Lawler, White and George Hultz. It ended in a no contest when

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their seconds, Roy Lee Welch and Sam Bass entered the fray. The villains won the rematch due to Bass' interference. A third battle was arranged as a stretcher match. After the popular Rossi team held a four fall to one advantage, George Hultz' piledriver and subsequent pounding, concluded the match as young Joey Rossi had to be carried out on a stretcher.

GEORGIA

Wrestling fans will long remember August 1972, with sorrow surrounding two tragic incidents pertaining to the top wrestling center of Savannah. On August 1, Ray Gunkel died of a heart attack in the dressing room following a successful defense of his brass knuckles title against Ox Baker. August 14, following a match in Valdosta, Doug (the masked Mr. X) Scoggins was killed in an automobile accident near Warner-Robbins. Weigh-370 lbs. and only 29 years old, a villain in the ring, but warm and friendly outside, he was buried in his native Elbert County, Georgia.

The unpopular masked Assassins gained popularity as a result of two matches with Terry Funk and Dory Funk Sr. The Funks insulted the state of Georgia on television and boasted of their own greatness. When they met the masked men the bout ended in the only natural way possible; in a no contest, as both sides used under-handed tactics and dished out some brutal punishment. Their brass knuckles rematch was bloody and ended with a collision that knocked both Dory Sr. and Assassin Number two out. When the masked man came too, and struggled to his feet first, the ref awarded the bout to the Assassins.

NWA Champion, Dory Funk Jr. was the crowd favorite when he faced Ox Baker in Savannah, but the fans in Atlanta cheered against him when he met Argentina Apollo. Savannah fans

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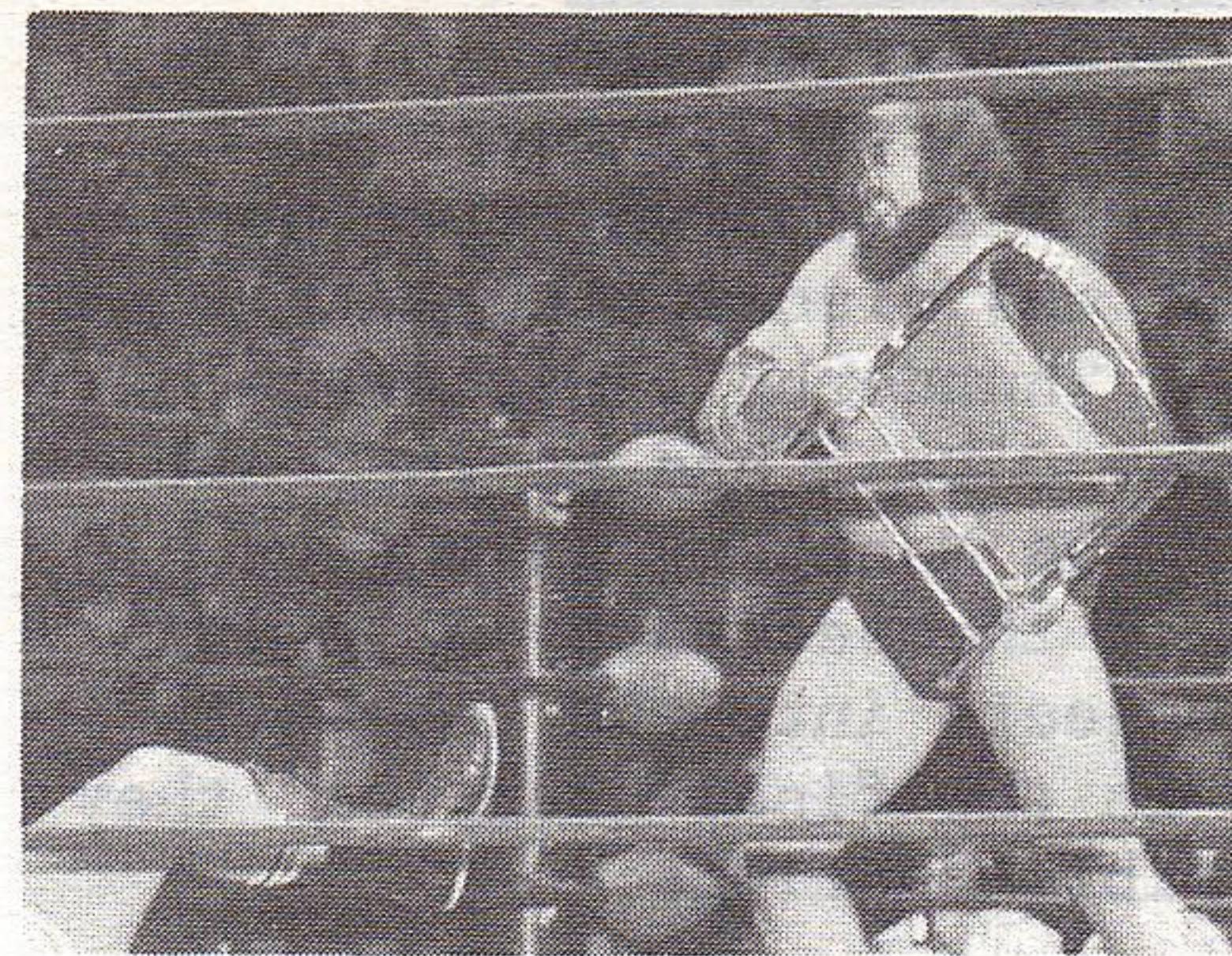
were happy when Baker was disqualified for pushing the ref and refusing to stop his kicking of the champ. . . Atlanta fans were disappointed when Apollo's aerial tactics backfired and he was forced to concede to Funk's Spinning toehold. The gracious title-holder then shook hands with the popular challenger who had given him a difficult bout.

The Georgia tag team title was held up following the Assassins bout with Dick Steinborn and Bob Armstrong, in which the masked champions got themselves intentionally disqualified. . . Steinborn and Assassin #2 went to a gruelling one hour draw in a nerve hold match neither one wanted or could afford to lose. Steinborn had put up \$1000 against the Assassin's mask. A no-time-limit rematch saw the Assassin render a clear-cut decision over the popular Steinborn.

When Roberto Soto defeated Buddy Colt for the state title in May, it was regarded as a startling upset, and few believed that Roberto would hold the title for long. But at the end of September, Soto was still the man to beat in Georgia wrestling. . . The secret of the masked Avenger's identity is a secret no longer. He revealed himself to be West coast mat man, Francisco Flores.

VIRGINIA AND THE CAROLINAS

Thunderbolt Patterson earned every penny of the \$6000 he received for winning the Greensboro (Aug. 10) 14-man battle royal. It was a noteworthy accomplishment when one considers George "Two-ton" Harris, Man Mountain Mike and Haystacks Calhoun were all entered as well as two of the most dangerous tag teams in the country --Gene and Ole Anderson and the Royal Kangaroos (Lord Jonathan Boyd and Sir Norman Friedrich Charles III.) It took both Andersons, Abe Jacobs and Calhoun to throw the 600 lb. Mike out of the ring. Shortly



thereafter, Charles joined the same three who helped Calhoun deposit Mike on the floor to turn the tables on Haystacks. With Gene Anderson busy battling Patterson, Boyd and Charles ganged up on Ole, however, as Ole was being thrown out, he managed to drag Charles with him. Gene diverted his attention from Thunderbolt in order to toss Boyd out as his back was turned. That left just Gene and T-Bolt and it looked a cinch for Anderson to win as he kicked, slammed and rammed Patterson into a daze. . . . However, when Gene dropped him over the top rope, T-Bolt managed to grab the middle ring rope and alter his fall so he landed on the ring apron. He then leaped into the air, caught Gene in a head-scissors and flipped him over the top rope and sent him sailing to the coliseum floor. . . . Patterson won a similar battle royal again using the tactic of landing on the apron to save certain elimination and finally defeated Brute Bernard who was using brass knuckles. . . . Haystacks Calhoun tossed out the Royal Kangaroos and Rip Hawk who was occupying all their attention, all at the same time, to chalk up a battle royal victory for himself.

Jerry Brisco continues as the Eastern heavyweight champion despite matches with the Missouri Mauler, Brute Bernard, Rip Hawk and Gary Hart. Brisco had to contend with tongue depressors, brass

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knuckles and cage matches in order to keep the belt. His match with Gary Hart was an Indian strap bout. . . . Hart was also forced into a match with Thunderbolt Patterson while Homer O'Dell had to face Art Neilson. The Managers gave good accounts of themselves by bringing foreign objects into the ring with them but in the final analyses, they took terrible beatings.

Brisco and Patterson came very close to divesting the Missouri Mauler and Brute Bernard of their Atlantic Coast tag title but the champs survived, only to lose the championship to Art Neilson & Johnny Weaver in Greensboro on August 31. . The Royal Kangaroos have handed the new champions a couple of losses but so far, not with the title at stake. Boyd and Chrles also took an impressive win from Les Thatcher and Sandy Scott.

Young preliminary wrestler David Finlay, is in reality, David Crockett, son of the prominent Carolinas promoter, Jim Crockett. . . . Brute Bernard, using a chair and his usual foreign object, was able to pin Man Mountain Mike. . . . Bernard and the Missouri Mauler's actions during the match in which they lost the title brought them a suspension. . . . Their manager, Homer O'Dell arranged a deal with manager Gary Hart, and is now managing Hart's former tag team stars, Rip Hawk and Swede Hanson. . . . Gary is expected to rest up following some rugged matches he has experienced lately and then return to Texas where he has always been a major box office attraction, possibly with Bernard or Larry "Missouri Mauler" Hamilton.

A new masked wrestler called the Menace has appeared in the South (apparently sent by Lars Anderson who is too busy to come South himself) to help out Gene and Ole Anderson. They certainly can use some help since their number of enemies are legion.

Among those who would like to put the Andersons out of the picture are Thunderbolt Patterson, Art Neilson, Johnny Weaver, Ronnie Garvin, Nelson Royal and Dennis McCord. . . . Although relatively untested, young McCord has done an excellent job of holding his own against Gene and Ole. However, in teaming with Nelson Royal in one no disqualification bout, Dennis had to watch in frustration (the referee refused to allow him to enter illegally) as the Andersons wrapped the tag rope which was still tied to the turnbuckle around Royal's neck and tie it in a knot while giving him a terrible beating. The referee couldn't untie the knot so he untied the other end only to have them choke and fling him around the ring with it, until he collapsed from exhaustion to be pinned by Ole.

September 8 in Richmond, Johnny Weaver wrestled Dory Funk Jr. in a non-title Texas Death Match. Weaver surprised everyone with two clever cradle pins of Dory, as he came off the ropes to fall behind, two falls to none. Dory came back with powerful forearm smashes and kneedrops, to earn the next two falls and even up the falls at two apiece. Johnny was hurt in the fifth fall when he managed to clamp on his sleeper, only to have Funk make it to the ropes and flip him out of the ring, causing him to land hard on the floor. Hurt but not to the point where he could not continue, Weaver carried the fight to the champ in fall number six, which eventually saw them carry the bout to the outside of the ring. As they were fighting, Dory attempted a flying tackle, but he missed and hurt himself severely as he hit the steel post. Weaver gave him a pile-driver, won the fall, and won

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the match when Dory could not answer the bell for the 7th fall. Public opinion has been building since then for Weaver to get another bout with Punk, only this time with the NWA title at stake.

FLORIDA

It is almost a toss-up between four wrestlers as to whom was the best wrestler in the Sunshine state during these past two months with fans divided on how to answer the question. Jack Brisco, Tim Woods, Paul Jones, and Buddy Colt have met each other several times with draws or disqualifications usually resulting, to keep the question up in the air.

Twice however, Jack Brisco was injured in matches with Buddy Colt that had a direct bearing on championship matches. September 28 in Tampa, four wrestlers met to determine who would hold the TV title. Woods got by Murdoch in the semi-final round, while Colt was disqualified as he injured Brisco. Since Jack could not compete for the title, Woods took the final round by default.

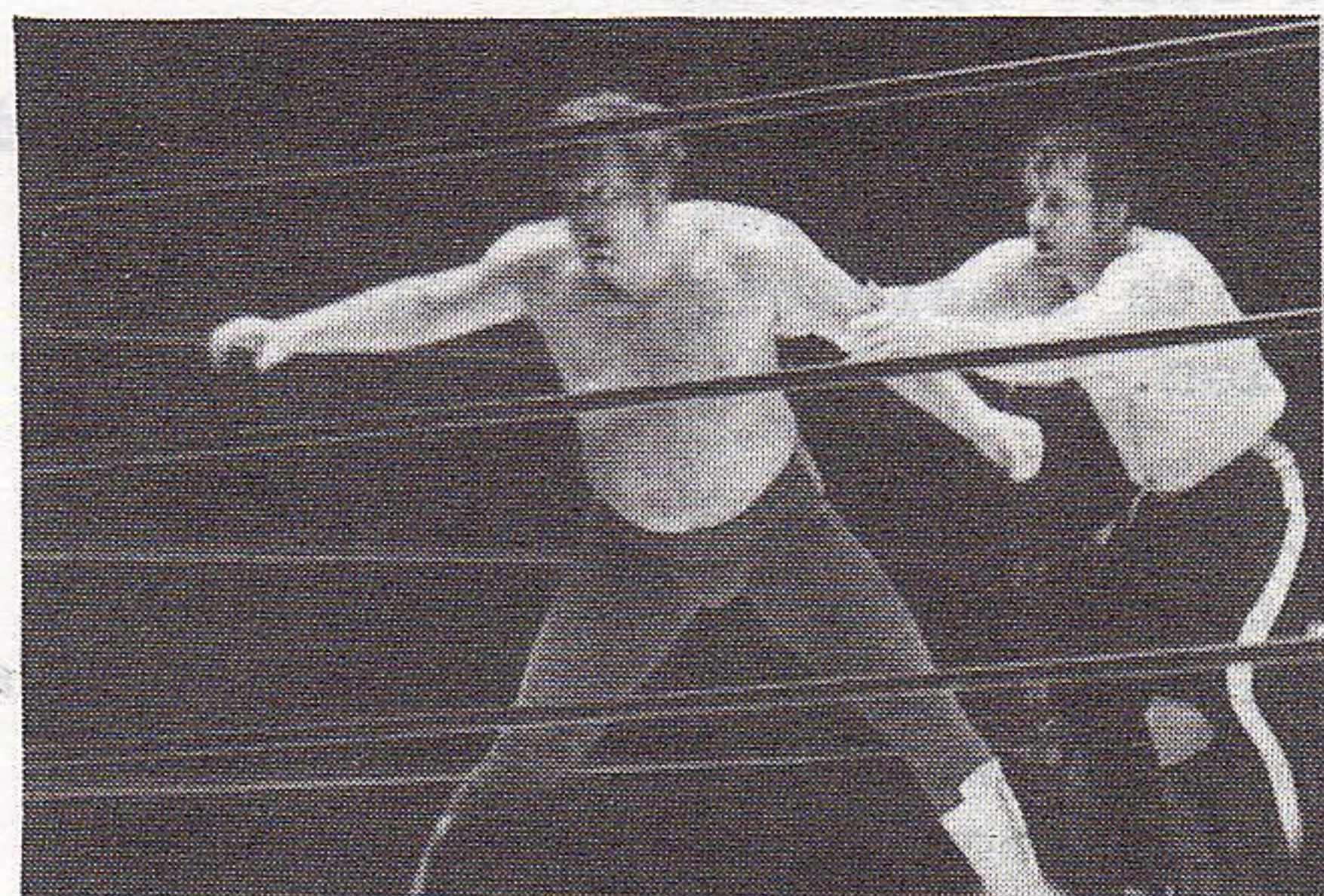
August 15 in Tampa, Nick Bockwinkel and Ray Stevens, were scheduled to defend their Florida tag belts against Tim Woods and Hiro Matsuda. Brisco was booked to meet Paul Jones in the main event. When Brisco could not make it for his match, the card was rearranged with Woods facing Jones, and Bob Orton, offering to team with his old nemesis, Matsuda, in order to get at the team who had taken the title from him, when he had wrestled under the mask as the Zodia with Taurus as his tag prtner. Although it was obvious that they did not get along well together, they won the state tag title when Ray Stevens was tossed out of the ring and hurt as he landed on the partially constructed steel cage which was going to be used

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for the main event, and was counted out.

The Matsuda-Orton team found it impossible to get along and the two continued their feud. However, a tournament was organized to determine who the new tag champions would be. Robert Fuller and Jimmy Golden were the surprise winners, outlasting such tough competition as Mike Webster and Redbeard, and Paul Jones and Dick Murdoch, for the honors... Golden was also the surprise winner of the 20-man battle royal held in St. Petersburg, September 9, involving the great majority of the top Florida talent appearing in the state at this time. The last one left in the ring with Golden was Buddy Colt, who thought he had won the contest, not noticing Golden who was lying on the mat dazed but definitely not eliminated. Jimmy got up and before Buddy knew what had happened, he found himself flying over the top rope and sprawling on the floor.

Buddy Colt beat Johnny Walker, Ron Fuller beat Dick Murdoch, and Mike George beat Allan Butler (who had previously wrestled as the masked Scorpion) in loser-leave-town matches.



Ben Justice is ready to throw in the towel as his partner, The Stomper, is out on his feet during a death match with the Sheik-Tn Detoit.

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On August 12, Bob Orton lost both his masked identity of the Zodiac and his Southern heavyweight title in St. Petersburg. His foe, Time Woods, managed to turn the mask around so Orton couldn't see and he was forced to take it off to defend himself. Twice Orton's tag partner, Taurus, interfered causing the ref to disqualify Orton. Tim asked that he reconsider and to Bob's credit he agreed to continue the match. He soon had reason to regret it as Woods, the former Mr. Wrestling managed to pin his shoulders and again earn the Southern title. . . . Tim almost lost the title to Ron Fuller, who accidentally caught Tim below the belt with a body block, that rendered Woods helpless. Ron was most gracious in refusing to accept the win or the title due to the unfortunate circumstances.

With Bobby Shane unable to wrestle for awhile, due to a leg injury he suffered at the hands of Eddie Graham, Bobby turned to his associates, Mike Webster (former Notre Dame football player) and Redbeard, but this pair could not handle Edwin and his son Mike in tag action. The Professional reappeared in Florida, only to have Eddie unmask him and show everyone that Doug Gilbert had grown long hair and a beard and indeed had been Redbeard. Graham beat Redbeard in a cage match on one occasion and tangled him into the ropes and cut his hair with a scissors on another occasion.

Bobo Brazil was disqualified in Florida for using his headbutts on Paul Jones. . . . Miami promoter, Chris Dundee was awarded exclusive rights to promote boxing and wrestling at the Convention Center. . . . Dundee had lost his contract, up for renewal to Allied Sports, who then promoted some inferior, independent wrestling shows, while Dundee was forced into smaller quarters. When Miami and

Allied Sports could not agree on a contract, the city council decided to reinstate Dundee.

Buddy Colt has worked over many wrestlers since appearing in the state; however, he sometimes gets the worst of it too. Jack Brisco beat him in a cage match, and Tim Woods smashed a chair over his head when Colt began interfering on behalf of Phil Robley and The Scorpion, when they were involved in a match with Robert Fuller and Jimmy Golden.

EAST COAST (WWWF)

Due to the fact that the battle of the champions, Pedro Morales vs Bruno Sammartino, lasted 76 minutes and was concluded only because of the 11:00 P.M. curfew, the George Steele-Professor Tanaka match never got under way. . . . The rainy, cold weather on September 30, held the crowd down to 22,508 at Shea Stadium. The announced gate receipts was \$140,923. . . . The fans saw an exciting tag match with the Spoiler and his manager, Lou Albano, taking on the ex-WWWF tag champions. Albano allowed the Spoiler to do most of the work, entering only when Chief Strongbow or Sonny King had been softened up. Albano used a taped thumb to do some damage of his own, but Strongbow picked up his boots and hit Albano on the head with the bells he has on them, to cut open Albano's head. More blood flowed from the gash as King gave him some headbutts and finally the referee ruled that Lou could not continue, and awarded the match to Strongbow and King.

Pedro Morales not only deserves the prestige he has as WWWF champ, because he held the great Bruno Sammartino to a 76 minute draw, but because he has been extremely successful in defending his title against Ernie Ladd who is a leading contender wherever he goes. When

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Morales manages to get big Ernie in a position for him to use his flying body press off the top rope, then its all over. . . . Ernie Ladd was ganged up on, and eliminated first during the 20-man battle royal in Philadelphia. The last four eliminated were Fuji (by Monsoon), Monsoon (by Tanaka), Tanaka and Steel by Chief Strongbow, who won and claimed the \$20,000 prize.

Goerge Steele went wild during his Madison Square Garden main event with Bruno Sammartino (Sept. 2). He tore open a turnbuckle with his teeth, used a comb as a foreign object and smashed him in the groin. Bruno grabbed a bearhug but couldn't hold it when George hit him with the comb on the back of the head. Bruno responded with a series of kicks that caused Steele to drop the comb. He then used it to open up a cut on Steele's forehead and smeared him all over the ring. Finally after a few resounding whips into the turnbuckle, Sammartino pinned his exhausted foe.

Mr. Fuji and Professor Tanaka are still the WWWF tag team champions, retaining their title in many bouts by getting disqualified or having the curfew or time limit end the match. . . . In Washington (Sept. 25) Victor Rivera was beaten into a bloody mess, after Tanaka interfered in the singles match he was having with Fuji, slamming a chair over his head. It would have been even worse had it not been for Fred Curry, jumping into the ring to help Vic.

Returning from Japan, Ernie Lasser amazed the Washington fans with an impressive victory over Smasher Sloan. . . . Joe Turco also seems improved since returning to the area, and already has posted wins against Tomas Marin, Sal El Din, Juan Rodriguez, the Black Demon and Lee Wong. . . . Chuck O'Connor continues to defeat most prelim competition, how-

ever, his excessively rough style caused him to be disqualified in important bouts with Arnold Skoaland and El Olimpico. . . . Jeff Johnson won his first professional bout ever, in Asbury Park (Sept. 1) when Jack Evans was disqualified. Johnson was tutored by Former World Champion, Buddy Rogers.

AROUND LAKE ERIE (NWF)

John and Don Fargo continue to hold the National Wrestling Federation tag title. In Pittsburgh (Sept. 29) they defeated Bruno Sammartino and Dom DeNucci. DeNucci was injured in the second fall, forcing Bruno to go it alone in the third fall. When the Fargos combined their illegal activities on Sammartino, Bill and Dan Miller jumped in to tip the scale in his favor. Of course their involvement caused Bruno to be disqualified. . . . On Sept. 1 in Pittsburgh, Bruno whipped Waldo Von Erich in a Texas Death Match. . . . On that same card, Bruno's muscular young protege, made his pro debut and beat Frank Durso in a mere 19 seconds.

Johnny Powers and Johnny Valentine are feuding over the NWF North American title, while Abdullah the Butcher and Ernie Ladd stage similar debates over who deserves to hold the world recognition. Abdullah is dangerous enough on his own, but gaining help and foreign objects from manager Bruce Swayze makes him one of the most feared wrestlers anywhere.

Bobo Brazil dropped his U. S. title in Detroit on August 12 to Pampero Firpo but regained it on the following card. Lord Layton refereed the rematch that cost Firpo his short-lived glory and brought about a wild tag match with the Sheik teaming up with Firpo against Brazil and Layton. Igor jumped into the ring after Firpo put a face claw on Layton, giving the villains the victory via disqualification.

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Igor lost a chain match to Firpo. . . Tony Marino lost a similar bout to the Sheik. . . Lou Klein finally received another match with his enemy the Sheik, only to have the match stopped because he was bleeding too badly. . . The Stomper and n Justice seem to have finally secured a firm grip on the recognized tag team title in the Detroit area. . . . Jess Ortega (Mighty Ursus) now wearing a mask to protect his handsome face.

MARITIME PROVINCES OF CANADA

Freddie Sweetan and Mike Dubois began blaming one another for the loss of their tag title to Leo Burk and Bobby Kay, and finally some of the long misunderstandings led to a complete break. Sweetan began teaming with Earl Black, and they were successful in a match with the McGuire boys, Billy and Benny, who together weigh approximately 1300 lbs. Besides double-teaming, Sweetan used his taped thumb and the pair also got away with using brassknuckles to down the world's fattest twins. Even so, Black and Sweetan were not able to dethrone Kay and Burk. . . . When the former tag partners met in a grudge encounter in Halifax (Sept 25) Dubois beat Sweetan when the referee stopped the match because Fred was bleeding too much blood. It was a costly win for DuBois, who had injured his arm the night before in a match with Bobby Kay, as he aggravated the injury and was forced to cancel the remaining matches he was signed to appear in that week. . . . The area champion, Killer Karl Krupp had some close calls when the Stomper (Rchie Goldie) toured the Maritimes for a couple of weeks. Following a contest, the two met in a lumberjack match in which both wrestlers wore football helmets. Krupp had headbutted the Stomper before and complained about his loaded boots explaining why they felt them necessary. The Stomper's helmet fit poorly and eventually cost him the

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gruelling battle. . . Krupp lost the title in a fence match to former champion, the Beast, regained it in a no disqualification match, then surrendered it again when he lost a chain match. The Beast was bloodied up first and most, but when Krupp used a foreign object, he went wild and pounded the German senseless and then dragged him around all four corners of the ring to be declared the winner.

QUEBEC, CANADA

Edouard Carpentier remains the Grand Prix champion, however, Jerry Brown and Dale Roberts lost their tag title to Joe and Paul LeDuc. . . . Killer Kowalski just arrived in the area and the talk is that he will team up again with Don Leo Jonathan. Ten years ago, the Kowalski-Jonathan team was one of the best. . . . On the independent circuit, Fidel and Raoul Castillo have become the tag champions. . . . Jacques Rougeau holds onto the heavyweight title he took from the Sheik in July but seldom has put his title on the line. Abdullah the Butcher is in the area and had often defeated Jacques in the past. . . . Don and John Fargo have appeared on some of the independent cards, with Tony Angelo managing them. . . . Johnny Rougeau announced at the end of August that he was retiring from the ring.

SASKATCHEWAN, CANADA

Tor Kamata who wrestled in the midwest as Dr. Moto and held the AWA tag title with Mitsu Arakawa, is teaming with Sugi Sito and are the top tag combination. . . . Joe Tomasso another former midwest regular, is feuding with TV announcer, Ed Wellan who has belittled him, hit him with his microphone, and stepped on his manager, Rene Trudeau's hat. Dave Ruhl jumped into the ring and engaged in a pier-6 brawl with Tomasso after Joe used ether on Super Hawk. . . . Geoff Portz won the area title from Tor Kamata on Sept. 2, then was upended by Kendo Nagasaki on Sept 23.

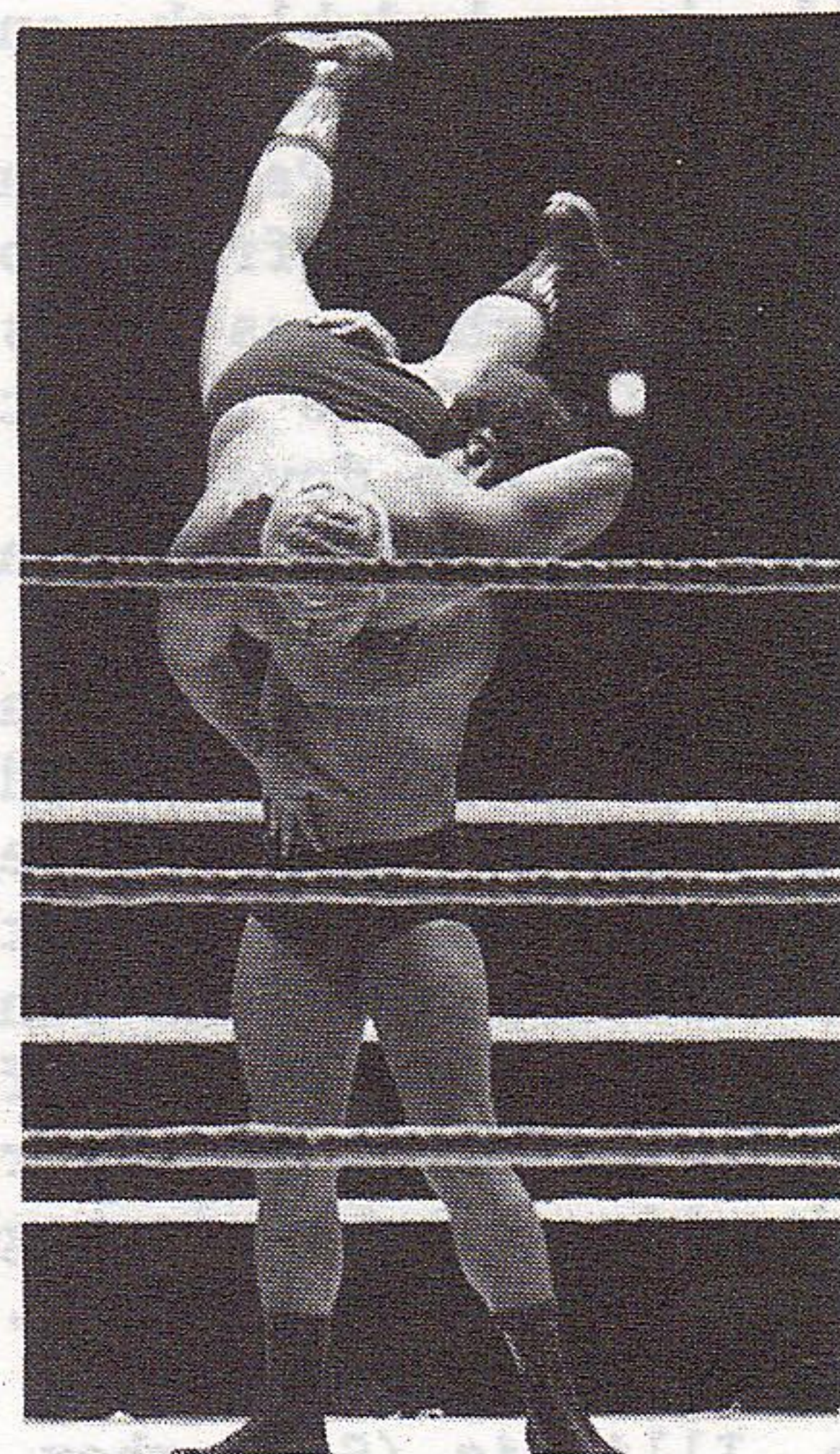
ASKATCHEWAN (Continued)

Yagasaki is an extremely powerful and brutal Japanese wrestler who has spent much of his last few years in England. He is managed by Lord Sloan, a picture of elegance with his frilly lavender shirt, British accent, and claim of noble birth. . . Dan Kroffat (King Krow) is feuding with Kamata. Kamata's match with Portz, was one of the most exciting, scientific matches seen here in a long while.

MIDWEST (AWA)

Dusty Rhodes gave the Crusher a rough time using brass knuckles that he hid from the ref but brazenly displayed to the crowd. Crusher finally grabbed them away from Rhodes, but before he could do much, Rhodes had been disqualified and made a hurried exit. . . Wahoo McDaniel has been bloodied up often in recent weeks. He has tried to protect the cut with a bandage in hopes it would heal but when he keeps meeting the likes of Hennig and Rhodes it's bound to break open often. . . Dr. X finally met Ray Stevens for the first time since their TV match in which Dr. X's leg was injured. The bout, held in St. Paul (Aug. 27) ended with Dr. X being disqualified for jumping off the top rope. Subsequent AWA bouts have seen Dr. X win some with his pet hold, the figure-4 leglock. . . Ivan Koloff lost a cage match to Billy Robinson. . . Koloff also had trouble with Bill Watts and Moose Cholak in Milwaukee (Sept. 9) when he wrestled tag team with his manager, the Big K. Koloff pinned Cholak after he missed a bodylock and hit the turnbuckle. Watts pinned K to even the bout after a bodyslam and a jump off the middle rope. Koloff was not so careful, jumping off the top rope onto Moose who had been double-teamed and knocked to the mat. . . Running into the turnbuckle, cost Cholak & Wilbur Snyder a 1-fall bout to the Graduates. Angelo Poffo & Ken Dillinger also upset Snyder & Vic Rossetani in a 2-3 fall match, with Rossetani missing a

dropkick to set up the Graduates' deciding fall. . . Billy Red Cloud and Bobby Bold Eagle's recent matches with Dillinger and Poffo seem to indicate the Indians are much superior. The Graduates or their manager, Mark Manson sometimes win matches by hitting their opponents with a book. Othertimes they are caught and disqualified. . . Crusher beat Bobby Heenan and Black Jack Mulligan in a handicap match. . . Mulligan-Lanza & Heenan lost a 6-man tag match to Bruiser-Crusher & midget Little Bruiser, however, during the postbout brawl while Bruiser and Crusher were working over Heenan and Lanza, Mulligan grabbed Bruiser and threw him across the ring. The midget star failed to break his fall, landing full force on his back and had to be carried out on a stretcher. . . Both Bob Ellis and Stan Pulaski are feuding with Christopher Colt in Nebraska. Colt has been using foreign objects and his manager Ronald Dupree to bring about some of the wildest and bloody main events ever seen in the area.



Jack Brisco about to slam Harley Race.

St. Louis, Mo. (August 18)

1. Roger Kirby & Yasu Fuji vs Les Thornton & Omar Atlas:
 1. Fuji pinned Thornton after a judo chop, a whip into the ropes and an extension of both arms so he caught him in the throat.
 2. Thornton pinned Fuji after a series of forearm smashes and a backbreaker.
 3. Kirby caught Atlas coming off the ropes with his knee, then gave him a neckbreaker and press.
2. Dick the Bruiser was ready to jump off the top rope onto Black-Jack Mulligan who lay on the mat after a series of kicks, punches and headfirst rams into the turnbuckle. While the ref got in Dick's way and ordered him down, Mulligan inched out of range, jumped up and knocked Bruiser over the top rope onto the apron. Mulligan was disqualified but it wasn't over as Dick flipped him out on the apron, knocked him to the floor, slammed his head into the table, tossed him back into the ring, then got back in and tossed him out the other side.
3. The Stomper pinned Stan Pulaski following a bodyblock, and his famed stomp to the head.
4. Rufus Jones and Pat O'Conner won a 1-fall tag match from Moose Cholak & Baron Von Raschke, as Jones punched Cholak to the mat, then tagged Pat who dove over the top rope onto him for a flying body press.
5. Gene Kiniski shoved off as Cowboy Bob Ellis attempted a 2nd bulldog headlock, then got the best of him as they traded punches, then gave him a backbreaker and pinned him.
6. Jack Brisco was waiting for Harley Race as he came off the ropes for a shoulder block and caught him with a flying body press.

Chicago, Illinois (September 1)

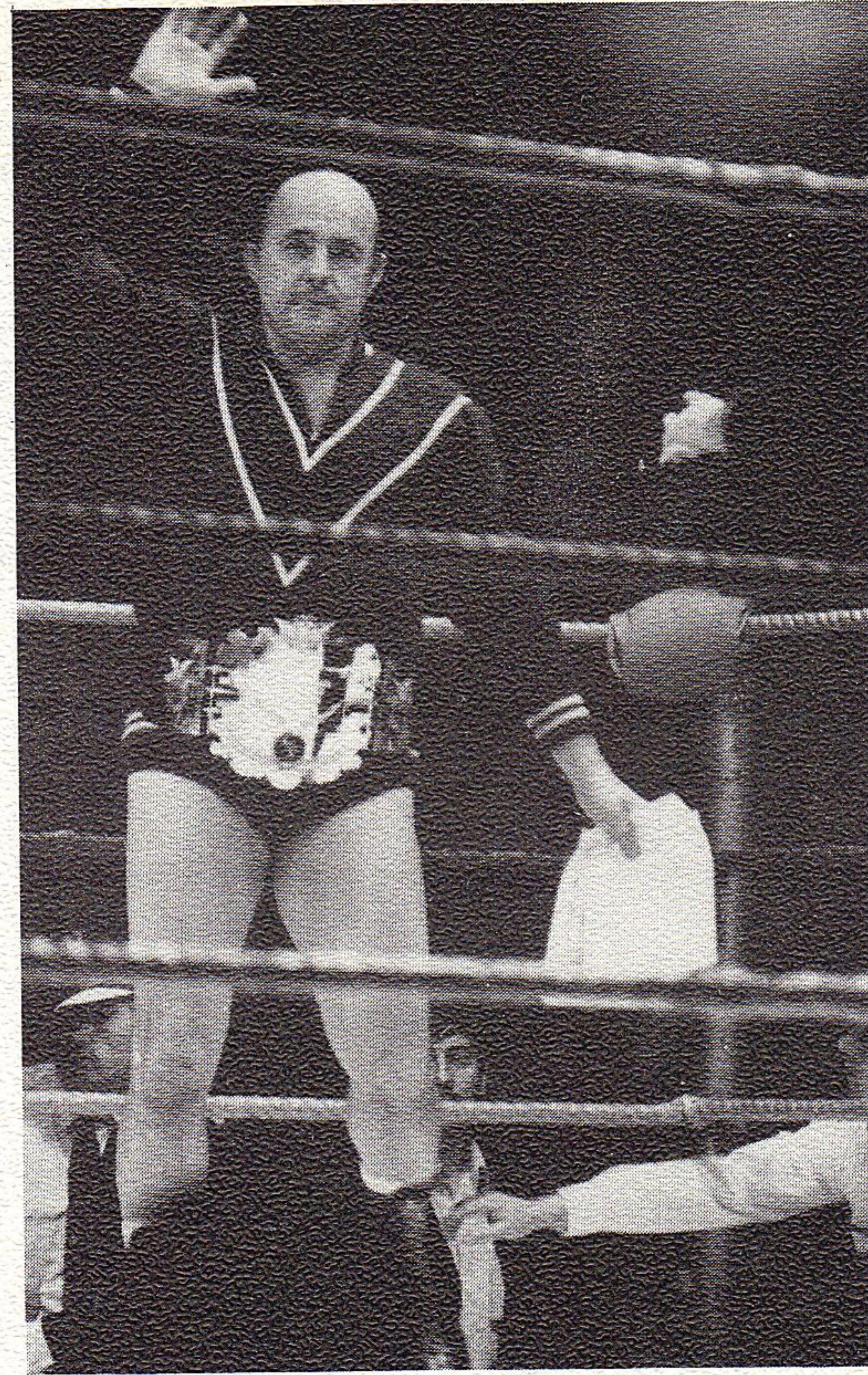
1. Don Muraco went to a ten minute draw with Rene Goulet.
2. Ramon Torres prevented a loss to Angelo Poffo by grabbing the ropes as he fell to the mat alone

- when attempting his neckbreaker. Torres then whipped Poffo into the ropes, caught him with a perfect drop kick, then applied his abdominal stretch after another whip.
3. Hans Hermann was beaten by Art Thomas after two forceful whips into the turnbuckle and a headbutt.
 4. Bobo Johnson also used a head butt to defeat his opponent, Little Bruiser in a midget bout.
 5. After dominating his match with Baron Von Raschke and escaping from his face claw, Billy Red Cloud ran into a knee, fell to the mat, was given an elbow drop before he knew what hit him and was pinned just long enough.
 6. It was no handicap for 7'4" Andre Rousimoff to face Butcher Vachon & Larry Hennig. Hennig entered illegally after Rousimoff body-slammed Butcher, and the Giant rammed their heads together, then flipped Vachon to the mat and pinned him before Hennig could interfere. He then threw Hennig out of the ring.
 7. Wahoo McDaniel's tomahawk chops chased Dusty Rhodes out onto the ring apron. When Wahoo then rammed his head into the ring-post, he was disqualified.
 8. Nick Bockwinkel & Ray Stevens vs Wilbur Snyder & Billy Robinson.
 1. Snyder fell victim to double-teaming and was pinned.
 2. Snyder looked great coming to Robinson's assistance as he was being worked over. The breather was all Bill needed as he then gave Bockwinkel a backbreaker and pinned him as Snyder stopped Ray from interfering.
 3. Robinson was pinning Nick after giving him a suplex when Stevens leaped off the top rope kneeing Bill who was applying a grapevine pin. Nick then pinned Robinson.
 9. Vern Gagne vs Ivan Koloff.
 1. Ivan's attack of kicks, punches, bodyslams and kneedrops, set up Gagne for his Russian backbreaker in just 1:30.

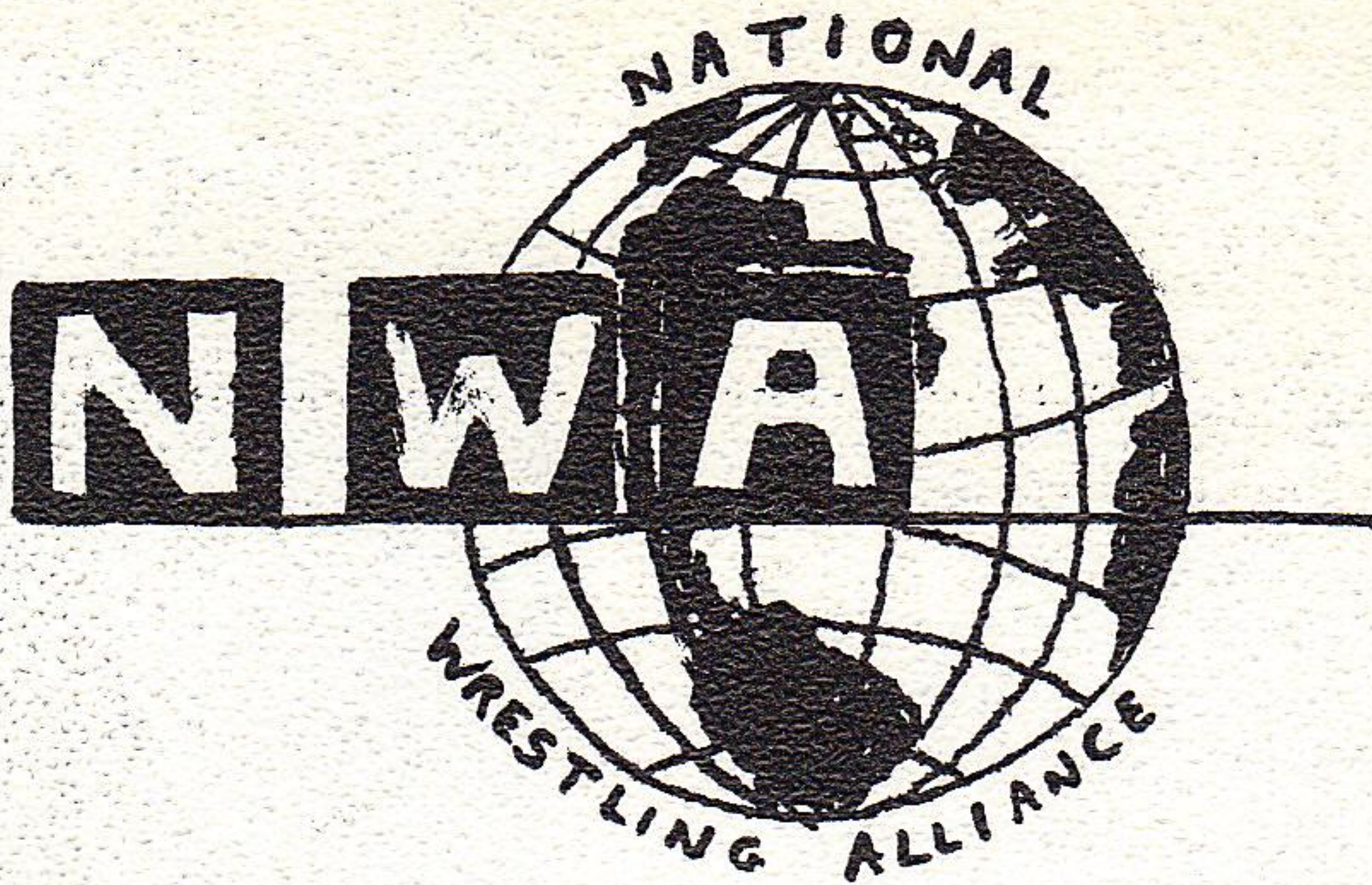
2. Koloff continued his aggressive action, adding bearhugs and whips into the turnbuckle to work over the champion's back. Gagne kept punching free and finally slipped behind Ivan and caught him in his sleeper hold.
3. Koloff was still dazed and Verne punched away, threw Koloff out on the apron and then brought the Russian back in with a head scissors. Ivan then grabbed Gagne in a full nelson and brought him over to his manager, the Big K, who stood on the ring apron and swung. Verne ducked and the punch knocked Koloff to the mat where Gagne quickly pinned him.
10. The last match was a 1-fall to a finish cage match with Bruiser and Crusher vs The Black Jacks, Lanza & Mulligan with their manager, Bobby Heenan, also in the cage. The scurrying that Bobby and his boys did in trying to climb out of the cage was the highlight of the bout. It was a very bloody match with Crusher & Bruiser definitely in charge. Referee, Jersey Joe Walcott, finally declared them the winners as Mulligan and Lanza were in no condition to defend themselves, nor was Heenan, especially after the dazed manager took a wild swing and hit Walcott who retaliated with a tremendous wallop sent the bloody manager sailing to the mat, half way across the ring.

Milwaukee, Wis (September 30)

The main event was a 14-man battle royal. Here's the order of elimination with those responsible for getting them over the top rope in parentheses: 1. Rene Goulet (Snyder); 2. Higo Hamaguchi (Bullinski); 3. Hans Hermann (McDaniel-Thomas); 4. Bullinski (Rhodes); 5. Moose Cholak (Lanza-Rhodes); 6. Ramon Torres (Koloff); 7. Art Thomas (Rhodes-Lanza); 8. Ivan Koloff (McDaniel); 9. Wilbur Snyder (Rhodes); 10. Wahoo McDaniel (Heenan-



Rhodes); This left Andre Rousimoff in with Lanza & Rhodes who had teamed up together often and Heenan who spent most of the match either on the ring apron or outside on the ring floor. Rhodes & Lanza tried coming at the Giant, from opposite sides, only to have Andre grab each one by an arm, ram them into one another, then bring them to the ropes and flip them simultaneously out of the ring. That left only Bobby Heenan, who ran around for a few seconds, then highjumped over the top rope on his own volition, leaving Rousimoff to be declared the winner. In other bouts, Bullinski b Hamaguchi, dq; Goulet d Cholak; Lanza b Torres; Snyder b Hermann; Rhodes b Thomas; McDaniel b Heenan; Rousimoff b Koloff;



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